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Town
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1907-1912

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SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Superintending
School Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department,
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health,
Town Clerk and Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School Fund, the Trustees
of the Turner Free Library, and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 31 1907

RANDOLPH, MASS.

1908

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1907—1908.

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER

JOSEPH T. LEAHY

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

EDWARD LONG Term expires 1908

ROYAL T. MANN Term expires 1909

REDMOND P. BARRETT Term expires 1910

WATER COMMISSIONERS

WILLIAM F. BARRETT Term expires 1909

D. B. WHITE Term expires 1910

AUDITORS

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN B. WREN, JOHN K. WILLARD

CONSTABLES

FRANK HARRIS, P. JOSEPH RILEY, JOSEPH H. FOSTER,

JAMES FOLEY, MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, JOHN HANEY,

FRANK J. DONAHUE

TAX COLLECTOR

ARTHUR W. ALDEN

FENCE VIEWERS

CHARLES H. COLE, ROYAL T. MANN, JAMES RILEY

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

JOHN H. KELLEHER, JOHN H. FIELD, JOSEPH T. LEAHY,

EDMOND K. BELCHER

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

CHARLES A. WALES, Chief WILLIAM A. CROAK, Clerk

JAMES E. BLANCHE, DANIEL J. BRENNAN,

MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN

SUPERINTENDENT OF ALMSHOUSE

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN

KEEPER OF LOCKUP

ARTHUR W. ALDEN

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT

EDWARD J. FULLER of Sharon

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Report of Selectmen and Assessors

The Selectmen and Assessors herewith submit their annual report for the year ending December 30, 1907.

VALUATION.

	1906.	1907.	Loss.
Real Estate	\$1,685,300 00	\$1,668,950 00	\$16,350 00
Personal,	314,450 00	308,400 00	6,050 00
	\$1,999,750 00	\$1,977,350 00	\$22,400 00
Value of Building, excluding land,			\$1,113,750 00
Value of Land, excluding buildings,			555,200 00
Town tax,			45,838 35
State tax,			2,800 00
Highway tax			21 85
County tax			1,634 84
Overlay appropriated for abatement of taxes			275 25
Total amount to be raised in 1907			\$50,570 29
Estimated Corporation tax		\$4,166 00	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Estimated Bank tax	1,859 00
1115 Polls	2,230 00
	\$8,255 00
Amount to be raised on property	\$42,315 29
Tax rate, \$21.40 on \$1000.	
Tax on real estate	\$35,715 53
Tax on personal	6,599 76
Poll taxes	2,230 00
Amount committed to Collector of Taxes	\$44,545 29
Population, census of 1905	40 34
Number of horses, May 1, 1907	263
Number of cows	246
Number of neat cattle	2
Number of swine	399
Number of fowl	2149
Dwelling houses	882
Acres of land	5,530 1-2

ESTIMATER VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Almshouse property and farm	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus	5,500 00
One Babcock Extinguisher and apparatus	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup	4,200 00

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Land and building Clark estate	2,000 00
Highway plant	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land So. Main street	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land School street	6,000 00
Schoolhouse and land Chestnut street	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land Belcher street	9,250 00
Land North street	200 00
Schoolhouse and land Lafayette street	1,600 00
Prescott schoolhouse and land Ward and School streets	17,000 00
Turner High school fund for medals	1,500 00
Stetson High school fund	18,286 00
Turner Free Library building and land	40,000 00
Turner Free Library	20,000 00
Turner fund	10,000 00
Royal W. Turner Free Library fund	20,000 00
Water works	162,000 00
Coddington fund	1,900 00
E. Fanny Belcher lot	1,000 00
Dr. Ebenezer Alden estate	10,000 00
	\$370,036 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1907

	Appro'tns	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Schools inc. Stetson H. S. and N. G.	\$15500 00	\$2175 00	\$17675 00	\$17664 28	\$ —	\$ 10 72
Miscellaneous . . .	1800 00	—	1800 00	1690 95	—	109 05
Almshouse including repairs	2400 00	751 63	3151 63	3294 49	142 86	—
Poor of other towns . .	—	—	—	588 58	—	—
Poor out of Almshouse .	2800 00	—	2800 00	3053 26	253 26	—
Soldiers' Relief, R. & H. .	400 00	238 43	638 43	720 29	81 86	—
Soldiers' Relief . . .	400 00	33 50	433 50	318 61	—	114 89
Highways including removal of snow	3500 00	2263 56	5763 56	5561 35	—	202 21
Street Watering . . .	500 00	—	500 00	500 00	—	—
Town Officers . . .	2200 00	50 00	2250 00	2245 97	—	4 03
Fire Department . . .	2261 00	7 50	2268 50	2365 91	97 41	—
Water Commissioners . .	2500 00	—	2500 00	2500 00	—	—
Treasurers' bond . . .	120 00	—	120 00	120 00	—	—
Abatement of taxes . . .	—	* 275 25	275 25	661 11	385 86	—
Special police . . .	1200 00	—	1200 00	1243 60	43 60	—
Births, marriages, deaths & court fees	250 00	3 49	253 49	310 53	57 04	—
State aid . . .	—	—	—	3856 00	—	—
Military aid . . .	125 00	180 00	305 00	276 00	—	29 00
Decoration, soldiers' graves	150 00	—	150 00	150 00	—	—
Burial of indigent soldiers .	—	—	—	249 00	—	—
Lockup . . .	200 00	—	200 00	155 60	—	44 40
Street lighting . . .	3435 00	—	3435 00	3382 32	—	52 68
Interest . . .	2500 00	1916 93	4416 93	4109 59	—	307 34

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1907

	Appro'ts	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Reduction town debt .	\$ 3480 00	—	\$3480 00	\$ 3480 00	—	—
County tax .	1634 84	—	1634 84	1634 84	—	—
State tax and highway tax .	2821 85	—	2821 85	2821 85	—	—
Tree Warden .	300 00	—	300 00	302 06	2 06	—
Board of health .	200 00	—	200 00	404 60	204 60	—
Pay of physicians .	400 00	—	400 00	350 00	—	50 00
Turner free library .	500 00	—	500 00	550 00	50 00	—
Overdraft 1906 .	697 35	—	697 35	—	—	697 35
Care of clocks .	20 00	—	20 00	20 00	—	—
Pinkerton vs. Randolph .	—	—	—	198 20	198 20	—
State paupers .	—	—	—	27 00	—	—
New High School .	8068 54	—	8068 54	8068 54	—	—
Totals	\$60363 58			\$72874 53	\$1516 75	\$1621 67
Net amount unexpended .						104 92

* Overlay of Taxes

Highways

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun according to the usual custom by scraping the streets as soon as the ground would permit in the spring, after which graveling and other repairs was done on the various streets as follows: Mount Pleasant street, 111 loads of gravel; Allen street, 103 loads of gravel; Roel street, 25 loads of gravel; Belcher street, 55 loads of gravel; North street we built 1000 feet of cobblestone road for which 306 loads of stone and gravel were used; on Warren street 158 loads of gravel, 10 loads of No. 2 crushed stone, 7 loads No. 3 crushed stone and 227 loads of ashes were used on sidewalks; Silver street, 193 loads gravel; South Main street, we built 1500 feet cobblestone for which 480 loads stone and gravel were used. On North Main street we built 5300 feet macadam road, 550 tons of crushed stone, 35 loads gravel on sidewalks; Pleasant street, widened street and built sidewalk on east side from Mr. Koppman's house to street leading to almshouse, 220 loads gravel were used, built 4 rods

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face wall on east side, blasted ledge and removed same; Canton street, 65 loads gravel; West street, 45 loads gravel; Fowler street, 15 loads ashes on sidewalk, repaired gutter at head of street; Union street, 28 loads gravel; Maple street, 30 loads gravel; School street, built 4 catch basins, laid 202 feet 10-inch drain pipe, 25 feet 12-inch iron pipe and built bridge across the street, built sidewalks on both sides of street, blasted and removed large rock, paved gutter on South side, 92 loads gravel; Plain street, 8 loads gravel; Cottage street, repaired drain pipe; Oak street, removed large stone; Chestnut street, repaired bridge; Wales avenue, repaired crossing; at A. Smith's had to reset the curbing; repaired smokestack and boiler of crusher plant. The trimming of brush on all streets was done when scraping. Cleaned ditches and culverts. Mill street, repaired bridge, paved and drained; mowed the grass on all streets that needed it.

Paid back snow bill of 1906 to the amount of \$884.00. Repairs on fences etc., damaged July 4 was quite an item. I examined the crusher plant and found it would be quite expensive to repair, so I would recommend the sum of \$700 for a new crusher.

JAMES E. BLANCHES,
Superintendent.

GENERAL REPAIRS.

Paid James E. Blanche, Superintendent	\$409 00
John Sheehan, labor	279 00
Town teams, labor	320 50
Michael Good, labor	267 75
James Barry, labor	178 50
Nicholas Linnehan, labor	195 75
John Harris, labor	38 00
John Dunn, labor	6 00
James P. Walsh, labor	6 00
William H. Johnson, labor	15 00
A. P. Johnson, labor	18 00
James Blythe, Jr., labor	7 00
H. L. Paul and team, labor	21 00
M. E. Scanlon and team, labor	18 50
Thomas Duff, labor	179 25
John B. McGrane, labor	190 75
F. E. Stetson and team, labor	18 38
John J. Collins and team, labor and gravel	29 00
S. M. Clark, labor	12 00
T. Hussey, labor	145 50
Cornelius Good, labor	139 00
J. Breck & Son, material	10 70
J. F. Donnelly & Co., material	1 40
Kimball Bros. & Sprague, material	3 72
M. E. Leahy and team, labor	172 33
W. Fahy, labor	24 00

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George Thayer, labor	8 00
J. M. Dyer and team, labor	17.50
John Meaney and team, labor	112 00
W. H. Carroll and team, labor	51 66
Bay State Belting Co., material	1 35
Albert Dyer, labor	29 00
John T. Wales, labor	9 00
Michael Devine, labor	8 00
R. E. O'Brien, drain pipe	90 80
J. K. Anderson and team, labor	14 00
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., oil	12 51
J. B. McNeil, labor	13 30
C. D. Hill, supplies	1 95
M. O'Connell, labor	24 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	225 72
James Fardy, labor	17 38
D. Deacon, supplies	1 32
Adam Jones, labor	1 00
Dynamite	4 00
George F. Taylor, labor	9 09
Brockton Trap Rock Co., stone	362 04
Timothy Lyons	1 00
C. H. Cole, labor	5 00
C. F. Doonon labor	12 50
Alice B. Lynch, gravel	2 66
Mary E. Wales, gravel,	17 19
Mary A. Smith, gravel	4 50
Michael Ford, gravel	1 54

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Charles R. Powers, gravel	31 38
Michael Collins, gravel	5 80
Lincoln Stetson, gravel	6 23
Richard Forrest, labor	12 00
C. Larson, gravel	14
Charles A. Wales, gravel	6 65
Royal T. Mann	25
Mrs. H. B. Alden, gravel	10 36
William P. Sullivan, supplies	2 84
F. A. Spear, labor	3 00
E. W. Campagna, labor	5 09
C. F. Lyons, supplies	95
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	1 03
A. Lizzie Mann, rent of land 1906 and 1907	40 00
Randolph Water Works, pipe	28 00
	\$3,917 76

SCRAPING.

Paid James E. Blanche, Superintendent	\$75 00
Nicholas Linnehan, labor	36 50
Thomas Duff, labor	36 25
John B. McGrane, labor	37 25
M. O'Connell, labor	2 00
M. Crowley, labor	24 75
James Barry, labor	36 50

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John Harris, labor	24 75
Frank Woodman, labor	25 00
Michael Good, labor	24 75
John Dunn, labor	25 25
John Carr, labor	22 75
James Kent, labor	22 75
Charles E. Clark, Labor	20 75
James Hoyer, labor	22 25
Michael Devine, labor	22 75
Thomas Devine, labor	22 75
Thomas Dee, labor	4 00
Michael Halpin, labor	8 00
John Sheehan, labor	25 25
Town teams, labor	31 50
Thomas Donahoe, labor	10 00
C. F. Doonan, labor	19 25
Jas. P. Walsh, labor	16 75
M. E. Leahy and team, labor	48 12
John J. Collins and team, labor	7 88
W. H. Johnson, labor	8 75
A. P. Johnson, labor	8 75
Frank Riley, labor	7 50
J. M. Dyer and team, labor	7 00
F. E. Stetson and team, labor	7 00
John Daly, labor	6 50
Thomas Deneil, labor	6 50
John Meaney and team, labor	1 75

\$706 50

REMOVING SNOW.

Paid James Devine and others	\$127 63
M. E. Leahy and others	117 50
F. E. Stetson and others	127 17
P. J. Riley and others	276 14
W. H. Carroll and others	119 95
William Mahady and others	106 25
C. M. Eddy	75
J. B. McNeill	3 50
James Riley and others	35 95
John C. Marceillie	4 00
James Keenan	6 25
John Sheehan	12 00
	\$937 09

SUMMARY.

Paid General repairs	\$3,917 76
Scraping	706 50
Removing snow	937 09
	\$5,561 35
Town appropriation	\$3,500 00
Excise tax Old Colony St. Ry.	
Co.	1,262 44

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Excise tax Bristol & Norfolk St. Ry. Co.	45 46
Street Railway Tax	800 41
Old Colony St. Ry. Co. for use of roller	155 25
	\$5,763 56
Unexpended \$202 21	

WATERING STREETS.

Paid Timothy Lyons	\$500 00
Appropriation	\$500 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid C. H. Thayer, cash paid	7 05
T. Lyons, expressing 1906, 1907	45 90
James J. Hurley, election officer	8 00
P. J. McGrath, sealer of weights and measures	18 69
P. J. McGrath, election officer	5 00
John F. Gill, election officer	10 00
Thomas F. McGrath, teller	3 00
Joseph D. Wales, teller	3 00
F. M. Condon, teller	3 00
T. J. Edwards	4 20

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Peter Quinn, teller	6 00
J. W. O'Mahoney ballot clerk	3 00
Geo. A. Roel, teller	3 00
J. J. Donovan, teller	3 00
M. F. Sullivan, police duty, serving war- rants, etc.	72 00
Charles E. McMahon, teller	3 00
M. E. Clark, teller	6 00
S. A. Foster, ballot clerk	6 00
M. Norton Hunt, teller	3 00
Thomas F. Kiernan, teller	3 00
Henry Dunphy, teller	3 00
A. W. Alden, care hall and Selectmen's office	114 40
Frank H. Tileston, teller	6 00
E. F. Murphy, election officer	5 00
Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerk	6 00
H. A. Howard, envelopes and stamps	60 90
Randolph & Holbrook, Electric Light Co.	72 49
Nelson Mann, teller	6 00
F. J. Donahoe, police duty	9 50
J. R. McCooile, transcript of Probate records	15 00
E. W. Champagna, labor	51 69
W. L. McAdam & Co., supplies	2 45
George E. Gould, dinners	18 75
D. B. Fletcher, stationery	2 90
M. K. Hill, printing	557 25
E. M. Mann, wood for Selectmen's office	28 00

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E. A. Perry	2 25
P. H. McLaughlin, cash paid	8 00
P. H. McLaughlin, copying valuation book	25 00
L. B. Goeres, damage	4 00
P. B. Murphy, printing	4 35
Little, Brown & Co., book	9 75
E.L. Burdakin, transcript of deeds	10 00
G.A. R. Post, 110, on order of Moderator	
Fred M. French	25 00
N. E. Telephone Co.	22 51
A. Howard Holbrook, teller	3 00
D. T. Clark, surveying	20 00
James Foley, cash paid	80
James Foley, special police duty	7 50
John Haney, special police duty	7 50
John Haney, cash paid	50
Frank W. Harris, police duty	9 50
W. O'Halloran, watchman	6 00
W. F. McAuliffe, police duty	7 50
Joseph H. Foster, police duty	7 50
John P. Rooney, police duty	7 50
M. Stanton, police duty	7 50
L. A. Cook, record of divorce court	1 00
P. J. Riley, police duty	7 50
Frank H. Jaquith, teller	6 00
G. A. R. Hall, rent	4 50
The Carter Ink Co., ink	1 25
Hobbs, Warren Co., stationery	2 00

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Thomas Groon & Co., stationery	5 25
C. A. Sullivan, professional services	5 65
Item press	2 00
J. T. Leahy, insurance	86 48
J. T. Leahy, express and cash paid	40 46
James E. Foley, teller	3 00
E. Flaherty, ballot clerk	3 00
J. J. Shea, teller	3 00
W. A. Croak, ballot clerk	3 00
W. F. Barrett, teller	3 00
R. M. Johnson, dinners	19 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	1 65
John H. Lero, teller	3 00
J. E. Blanche	7 00
C. F. Lyons, supplies	1 53
Estate C. H. Nichols, carriage hire and ex- pressing	79 20
L. H. Porter, stationery	65
Margaret Kane, damage	30 00
Dwight Ruggles, burial of dog	1 00

\$1,690 95

Appropriation	\$1,800 00
Unexpended	109 05

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin	\$400 00
Otis L. Soule.	350 00
Charles H. Thayer	350 00

Town Treasurer.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$300 00
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Registrars of Voters.

Paid Otis L. Soule	\$50 00
John H. Kelleher	50 00
John H. Field	50 00
J. T. Leahy, clerk	75 00

Auditors.

Paid Michael F. Cunningham	\$20 00
John B. Wren	20 00
William H. Leavitt	20 00

Collector of Taxes.

Paid Arthur W. Alden	350 97
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Engineers of Fire Department.

Paid Charles A. Wales	20 00
Daniel J. Brennan	20 00
Michael F. Sullivan	20 00
James E. Blanche	20 00
W. A. Croak, clerk	30 00

Inspector of Animals.

*Paid James Riley	\$100 00
	\$2,245 97
Appropriation	\$2,200 00
*Refunded by state	50 00
Unexpended	4 03

SPECIAL POLICE.

Paid John Haney	\$631 60
James Foley	612 00
	\$1,243 60
Appropriation	\$1,200 00
Overdrawn	43 60

BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

Paid for Mary O'Keefe	\$35 00
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William R. Lynch	35 00
Thomas T. Hand	35 00
John A. Mann	35 00
Joseph A. Payne	35 00
James N. MacKay	35 00
George W. Bodge	35 00
William A. Croak, services	4 00

\$249 00

No appropriation to be refunded by state.

COURT FEES AND BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Paid Richard Forrest, census of births	\$15 00
James Foley, court fees	46 25
Thomas B. Jones court fees	6 04
John Haney, court fees	29 85
W. M. Marden, court fees	4 40
E. Forrest Knight, court fees	10 02
Richard Vauston, court fees	9 50
J. Pye, court fees	8 50
Thomas Farrell, court fees	42 42
James Caffrey, court fees	4 00
James Morey, court fees	2 00
Warren M. Babbit, returning births	25
M. F. Sullivan, court fees	10 14
J. T. Leahy, recording births, marriages and deaths	66 40
B. J. Loring, court fees	19 85

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Patrick Butler, court fees	2 00	
C. C. Farnham, returning births	50	
A. L. Chase, returning births	2 50	
F. C. Granger, returning births	8 75	
J. B. Wren, returning deaths	10 75	
Henry Hathorn, court fees	9 16	
Geo. V. Higgins, returning births	50	
W. F. Holmes, returning births	1 75	
Appropriation	\$250 00	
Court fees from Quincy	3 49	
		\$253 49
Overdrawn		\$57 04
		<u>\$310 53</u>

Soldiers' Relief whose Military Settlement is in Randolph and
Holbrook

Paid Thomas F. Hand and wife	115 08
Christiana Sloan	97 50
George F. French and wife	163 04
Lawrence Leavitt and family	269 67
Elvira Holbrook	65 00
Herbert Leavitt	10 00
	\$720 29
Appropriation	\$400 00
Paid by Holbrook	238 43
Overdrawn	81 86

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SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Paid W. R. Lynch	\$62 00	
Hugh Currie	66 00	
John J. Thornton	58 11	
Albertina Hinckley	12 25	
Charles P. Thayer	2 75	
Leroy S. Hollis at Weymouth	84 00	
*Sundry persons	33 50	
		\$318 61
Appropriation	\$400 00	
*Refunded	33 50	
Unexpended \$114 89.		

STATE AID.

Paid sundry persons	\$3,856 00
No appropriation to be refunded by state	

MILITARY AID.

Paid Charles P. Thayer	\$96 00
Charles Tileston	120 00
Lysander C. Morse	36 00
Eugene J. Ward	24 00
	\$276 00

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Appropriation	\$125 00
To be paid by state	\$138 00
Paid by Holbrook	42 00
	\$305 00
Unexpended	\$29 00

DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES.

Paid Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.	\$150 00
Appropriation, \$150.	

TREE WARDEN.

Paid Stoddard and Hasserick	\$18 87
Royal T. Mann, labor	283 19
	\$302 06
Appropriation	\$300 00
Overdrawn	2 06

ABATEMENTS.

Paid Arthur W. Alden	\$661 11
Overlay of taxes	\$275 25
Overdrawn	385 86

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

Paid J. T. Leahy	\$8,000 00
J. L. Edwards	50 00
Brockton Times	5 94
Punchard and Babson	12 60
	\$8,068 54

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT.

Paid J. T. Leahy, treasurer	\$3,480 00
Appropriation, \$3,480.	

ELECTRIC LIGHTING.

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co.	\$3,382.32
Appropriation, \$3,435 00	
Unexpended,	52 68

LOCKUP.

Paid Arthur W. Alden, salary	\$100 00
Arthur W. Alden, supplies	15 25
D. B. White	30 25
Frank F. Smith, charcoal	2 70
Electric Light Co.	1 00

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John Harris	5 50
C. F. Lyons, supplies	90

\$155 60

Appropriation	\$200 00
Unexpended	44 40

CARE OF CLOCKS.

Paid Arthur W. Alden	\$20 00
Appropriation, \$20	

INTEREST.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer	\$4,109 59
Credit	\$1,916 93
Appropriation	2,500 00

	\$4,416 93
Unexpended	\$307 34

TREASURER'S BOND.

Paid J. T. Leahy, Treasurer	\$120 00
Appropriation, \$120.00	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid S. M. Clark, labor	\$200 00
C. D. Hill, supplies	48
Thos. Farrell, serving notices	4 85
W. R. Cartwright, fumigating	15 00
R. E. O'Brien, drain pipe	145 45
C. E. Lyons, labor	29 02
Arthur Smith, damage	20 00
Burial of dogs	4 00
G. W. Dontree, supplies	15 00
Estate C. H. Nichols, expressing	4 55
Jas. E. Blanche and others, labor	104 25
P. H. McLaughlin, services	20 00
Otis L. Soule, services	20 00
Charles H. Thayer, services	20 00
	\$404 60

Appropriation	\$200 00
Overdrawn	204 60

TURNER FREE LIBRARY.

Paid R. E. O'Brien	\$550 00
Appropriation	\$500 00
Overdrawn	50 00

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STATE TAX.

Paid A. B. Chapin, Treasurer	\$2,821 85
Appropriation	\$2,821 85

COUNTY TAX.

Paid James H. Cunningham, Treasurer	\$1,634 84
Appropriation	\$1,634 84

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Paid Water Commissioners	\$2,500 00
Appropriation	\$2,500 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid Engineers	\$2,365 91
Appropriation	\$2,261 00
Sale of copper	7 50
Overdrawn	97 41

SCHOOLS.

Paid Sundry Bills. (See report of School Committee.)	\$17,664 28
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Appropriation for School	\$11,000 00	
Appropriation for Stetson High School	2,500 00	
Repairs, North Grammer	2,000 00	
Credits	2,175 00	
		\$17,675 00
Unexpended	\$10 72	

PINKERTON vs. RANDOLPH.

Paid Gertrude Collins	\$198 20
No appropriation.	-

Report of the Overseers of the Poor

The Overseers of the Poor herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1907.

At the Almshouse, M. M. Sullivan and wife are in charge as Warden and Matron. The neatness, good order and general appearance of the House, speak in the highest terms of the qualifications of both Warden and Matron for their respective positions.

With the appropriations made this year, new floors have been laid, the house newly painted, the chimneys, walls and roof repaired, and the barn painted and shingled.

The majority of the bed rooms need new floors. We would recommend an appropriation for the same.

Average expense per week, per inmate, \$2.26.

The following are the expenses in detail:

ALMSHOUSE.

Paid M. M. Sullivan, salary	\$499 97
M. M. Sullivan, supplies	10 00
P. H. McLaughlin, dry goods	36 04
George H. Eddy, provisions	124 78

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

J. B. McNeil, labor	19 45
R. J. McAuliffe, provisions	126 23
F. W. Hayden & Co., groceries	107 55
Walter M. Howard, fish	27 33
E. E. Lothrop, manure	16 00
N. E. Buck, grain	219 72
C. D. Hill, groceries	109 10
R. McLennan, labor	7 00
James Riley, killing pigs	6 00
B. T. Hayden, grain	174 95
B. T. Hayden, coal	85 00
M. E. Leahy, coal	87 50
M. E. Leahy, supplies	28 50
Flagg & Willis, supplies	18 20
McAuliffe & Co., medicine	14 70
M. Stanton, repairing shoes	6 45
Randolph Clothing Co., clothing	40 15
C. F. Lyons, groceries	114 19
Est J. W. Palmer, groceries	98 62
R. E. O'Brien, labor and supplies	48 66
Howard Randall, oil	12 00
N. E. Telephone Co.	20 71
Joseph Breck & Son, supplies	3 20
James Fardy, labor	29 26
M. Crosby, papers	3 00
Continental Clothing Co.	10 00
Est Jas. F. Purcell, hay	7 65
C. C. Jordan	4 25
Mrs. R. Uniac, hay	31 45
H. F. Reynolds, groceries	61 13
R. B. Newcomb, pigs	8 00
D. B. White, coal	88 85

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Atwood Paper Co., paper	6 00
W. P. Sullivan, groceries	58 78
C. H. Cole, pasture	7 00
W. L. McDonald, fish	3 56
H. L. Paul, ice	41 45
Estate C. H. Nichols, expressing	11 40
Lee H. Porter, medicine	34 75
Eugene Thayer, groceries	148 25
	\$2,616 78

DR.

Stock on hand, Dec. 31, 1906	\$2,545 56	
Salaries and supplies, 1907	2,616 78	
		\$5 162 34

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Stock on hand, Dec. 31, 1907	\$2,598 95	
Labor of town teams	405 03	
Sale of produce	264 10	
Board refunded	80 00	
Sale of junk	2 50	
Net expense	1,811 76	
		\$5,162 34
Appropriation	\$1,800 00	
Overdrawn	11 76	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Persons supported in the Almshouse for the year ending December 31, 1907. .

	Weeks.
William Doyle	52 1-7
Bartholomew Gill	52 1-7
Timothy Sullivan	52 1-7
Emory Holbrook	52 1-7
Thomas F. Curran	52 1-7
John C. Moore	52 1-7
Stillman Orcutt	45 6-7
John Hayes	25 4-7
Thomas Ward	2 1-7
Allen A. Belcher	52 1-7
Christopher Purcell	52 1-7
Mary Sloan	36 4-7
Margaret Pierce	52 1-7
William P. Fox	9 4-7
*Michael Halpir	40 3-7
Richard D. Fox	4
Charles A. Weeks	46 4-7
Flora Alden	43 6-7
William R. Lynch	1 5-7
Amos Holbrook	20 6-7
Patrick Kiley	29 1-7
Albert D. White	24 6-7
Augustine Tirrell	1 1-7
	801 4-7

*Refunded \$80.

Discharged, 5. Died, 1.

Present number of inmates, 16.

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ALMSHOUSE TOWN FARM.

Appraisal of stock, furniture, etc., December 31, 1907:

2 cows	\$100 00
1 heifer	25 00
2 horses	300 00
14 fowl	14 00
1 road scraper	75 00
1 two horse wagon	175 00
1 farm wagon	30 00
2 tip carts	60 00
1 harness	5 00
2 setts harnesses	50 00
1 swing drag	30 00
1 moving machine	35 00
1 hay rake	23 00
5 tons hay	100 00
2 graved screens	10 00
1 two horse cart	75 00
1 sett double harness	30 00
1 two horse sled	40 00
1 tool chest	5 00
1 hay cutter	5 00
6 draugh chaines	12 00
1 carriage and harness	50 00
1 grind stone	4 00
1 street lamp	5 00
5 cuspidors	2 50
19 iron bedsteads	70 00
4 feather beds and 22 feather pillows	31 00
18 mattresses	53 00
lamps and lanterns	4 00

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25 lamp chimneys	1 50
1 ice chest	35 00
wooden and tinware	15 00
64 sheets	25 00
38 blankets	38 00
28 bed spreads	22 00
8 comforters	8 00
55 towels	5 50
5 table cloths	5 00
4 tables	4 00
1 walnut table	3 00
1 extension table	8 00
9 rocking chairs	9 00
44 chairs	12 00
1 wool carpet	25 00
5 brooms and 2 brushes	2 00
2 feather dusters	3 00
1 carpet sweeper	2 50
2 clothes wringers	10 00
2 coal hods and shovels	2 00
1 fire extinguisher	18 00
12 dry fire extinguishers	20 00
175 ft. hose	19 00
1 hospital bed	30 00
8 snow plows	150 00
1 derrick and chain	100 00
1 sleigh	5 00
robes and blankets	7 00
1 lawn mower	7 00
1 washing machine	10 00
1 bread mixer	2 50
3 hose hangers	75

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scrubbing brush	50
range and boiler	50 00
ladders	6 00
fence wire	1 00
7 cords manure	35 00
supplies, including shirts, stockings and under-	
wear	18 00
3 baskets	1 50
1 peck measure	50
1 cultivator	8 00
2 plows and harrow	15 00
forks, shovels and hoes	12 00
iron bar and picks	5 00
1 stone roller	4 00
1 wheel barrow	3 00
2 axes	1 00
1 tobacco cutter	1 00
1 scythe and snath	2 00
bit stock and bits	3 50
2 hand saws and planes	3 00
1 cross cut saw	1 50
8 drills	10 00
1 stone hammer	1 50
15 empty barrels	1 50
2 cords wood	12 00
17 tons white ash coal	119 00
7 tons franklin coal	56 00
vegetables	45 00
200 pounds pork	20 00
40 pounds lard	4 80
30 pounds butter	9 00
100 pounds sugar	5 50

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5 pounds coffee	1 25
10 pounds tea	5 00
120 quarts preserves	10 00
5 pounds tobacco	2 25
oats, corn and feed	10 55
10 gallons oil	1 40
1 kerosene tank	10 00
100 preserve jars	5 00
4 screen doors	4 00
21 window screens	13 00
2 storm doors	5 00
2 wash boilers	2 70
1 wash tub	75
1 oil stove	1 00
2 wood saws and horse	3 00
2 clocks	3 00
2 mirrows	2 00
Crockery ware	40 00
	\$2,598 95

SPECIAL REPAIRS ALMSHOUSE.

Paid R. E. O'Brien	\$125 47
W. L. Pulson	307 86
J. F. McCarty	94 38
W. B. Spear	150 00
	\$677 71
Appropriation	\$600 00
Overdrawn	77 71

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POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Paid for Thomas Donahue and wife	\$234 12
Mrs. John C. Welch	176 79
Elmer Holbrook	4 40
Julia Ainslie	41 81
Mrs. P. H. Meaney and family	330 44
Mrs. Henry G. Burrill and family	200 06
Mrs. John Leahy	110 92
Mrs. John Clifford	206 24
Sumner Thayer	13 25
Mrs. George White	359 63
Lewis Jones	178 44
Charles E. Linfield	29 50
Mrs. John Treanor	70 75
Mrs. Michael Lee	137 64
Frank S. Wood, at New Bedford	75 91
Annie Anderson, Mass. Eleleptic Hospital	155 07
James F. Sutton, at Lynn	11 45
Thomas Kenney and wife	183 70
Mrs. Bridget Kennedy, at Holyoke	23 25
Cassie Conrad, State Almshouse	87 77
Mary Sloan	6 00
Julia Alexander, at Worcester	30 00
Martin S. Poppy, at Hanover	120 00
James E. Lathrop	6 00
Jane Shields and family, at Brockton	133 54
John J. Prior and family, at Brockton	7 44
Florence De Forest, at Brockton	14 00
Charles Hollis, at Weymouth	36 63
Mrs. W. H. Wood, at Holbrook	7 75
Albert D. White, at Weymouth	5 51

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Frank F. Beyette, at Rockland	42 50
Aid to Sundry persons	12 75

\$3,053 26

Appropriation	\$2,800 00
Overdrawn	253 26

STATE PAUPERS.

Unknown	\$21 00
Mrs. J. W. Briggs	6 00

\$27 00

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS.

Alva M. Nightingale, Duxbury	\$71 50
Mrs. T. L. Shurtleff, Brockton	72 00
Samuel G. Beal, Quincy	47 00
Clarence Chandler, Holbrook	35 31
Mrs. John E. Glover, Quincy	9 00
Arthur F. Bump, Brockton	9 50
Mrs. C. L. Hall, Concord	235 83
Mrs. Hattie A. Shaw, Abington	22 00
Mrs. Susan Braham, Boston	7 50
Mrs. Bernard Purcell, Avon	22 85
Willard E. Tucker, Taunton	6 00
Samuel G. Bailey, Billerica	36 00
Aid to Sundry persons	14 09

\$588 58

Refunded	\$14 09
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PAY OF PHYSICIANS.

Paid Frank C. Granger	\$100 00
Estate Jas. S. Sullivan	50 00
C. C. Farnham	50 00
A. L. Chase	50 00
W. M. Babbett	50 00
W. T. Holmes	50 00
	\$350 00
Appropriation	\$400 00
Unexpended	50 00

CASH RECEIVED BY THE SELECTMEN.

From labor town teams	\$405 03
sale of produce	264 10
board refunded at Almshouse	80 00
sale of junk	2 50
sale of copper, Fire Dept.	7 50
aid, refunded	52 80
	\$811 93

Randolph, January 28, 1908.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN P. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Estimate of Expenses 1907

Schools, including Stetson High School. (See report of School Committee.)	\$14,275 00
Town officers	\$2,200 00
Miscellaneous	1,800 00
Tree Warden	300 00
Repairs of highways	3,500 00
Highway plant (Note)	500 00
Street loan (Note)	500 00
Street loan (Note)	630 00
Street loan (Note)	850 00
Prescott school (Note)	1,000 00
New high school (Note)	1,500 00
Refunding town debt (Note)	1,500 00
Poor in the almshouse	1,800 00
Poor out of almshouse	2,800 00
Soldiers' relief	400 00
Soldiers' relief, Randolph and Holbrook	400 00
Military aid	100 00
Electric lighting (street)	3,400 00

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Interest on town debt	2,500 00
Treasurer's bond	120 00
Medical attendance on the poor	350 00
Board of Health	200 00
Lock-up	200 00
Fire Department	2,761 00
Water works	2,500 00
Special police	1,200 00
Watering of streets	500 00
	\$47,786 00

List of Jurors for 1908

Abbenzellar, Alfred D., Lafayette st	Shoemaker
Anderson, Charles E., Main st	Shoemaker
Barrett, William F., North st	Shoemaker
Boyle, Michael F., Pleasant st	Shoemaker
Buck, N. Everett, Main st	Grain dealer
Burrill, Minot A., Main st	Shoemaker
Bradley, Henry J., Ward st	Shoemaker
Beal, Ira E., M. P. sq	Shoemaker
Cole, Charles H., Pond Lane	Farmer
Casey, Peter, Pleasant st	Shoemaker
Clark, S. Melvin, Allen st	Laborer
Clark, James W., Liberty st	Shoemaker
Clark, Dexter T., North st	Surveyor
Dyer, James M., North st	Farmer
Dowd, James, North st	Shoemaker
Desmond, John, Howard st	Shoemaker
Daly, Michael J., M. P. sq	Agent
English, Nicholas, North st	Shoemaker
Elliott, George A., Union st	Shoemaker
French, Fred M., Main st	Insurance
Forrest, Richard, North st	Shoemaker
Faunce, Hiram S., Union st	Janitor
Foster, Samuel A., Pleasant st	Clerk
Friar, Adolphus S., M. P. sq	Retired
Grover, Frank R., Main st	Carpenter

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Good, Cornelius, North st	Shoemaker
Holbrook, Arthur H., M. P. sq	Carpenter
Hoye, John A., Howard st	Shoemaker
Holmes Albert, Roel st	Retired
Hagar, Clarence L., West st	Laborer
Jones, Herbert A., North st	Shoemaker
Jones, James M., Gold st	Laborer
Knight, Ernest, Main st	Clerk
Long, James F., Cottage st	Shoemaker
Leavitt, William H., Main st	Clerk
Lewis, Wellington, Main st	Retired
Linfield, Walter, Main st	Farmer
Mann, Edwin M., Main st	Farmer
Mahady, William, North st	Laborer
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel st	Store-keeper
Mann, Rufus E., Pleasant st	Laborer
Murphy, Edward F., Short st	Shoemaker
Niles, Isaac, Union st	Real estate
Powderly, Henry F., South st	Shoemaker
Quinn, Peter, North st	Shoemaker
Reynolds, George A., High st	Farmer
Riley, Francis, Liberty st	Shoemaker
Roel, George A., Main st	Electrician
Stetson, Francis E., North st	Farmer
Stetson, Thomas L., North st	Manufacturer
Wilbur, Herbert C., Main st	Shoemaker
Willard, John K., North st	Tallow dealer
Wilbur, Selwyn, West st	Shoemaker

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

Turner Free Library

Trustees, 1907.

JOHN V. BEAL, President.

HENRY A. BELCHER, Vice-President.

N. IRVING TOLMAN, Treasurer.

WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, Secretary.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, CHARLES H. THAYER,

OTIS L. SOULE.

Selectmen of Randolph, ex-officiis.

ASA P. FRENCH,

JOHN E. BRADLEY,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON,

FRANK C. GRANGER.

MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH,

MRS. CLARA A. WALES.

MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE.

Librarian,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM.

Assistant Librarian,

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER.

Public Library

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-first annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seem to him of general interest.

The trust remains the same as during the past year, with the exception of the Town of Randolph note of \$5,000, which was paid, and its principal invested in five one thousand dollar bonds of the Boston Elevated Railway Company, as will appear by reference to the report of the Treasurer herewith submitted.

The committee on building, through Henry A. Belcher, its chairman, reports that the exterior of the building is in good repair, but that the portion used for library purposes is still in very bad condition. An appropriation should be made by the town to renovate the library rooms and the approaches thereto, in order to conform to the conditions of the donors' deed.

The annual examination of the library was made by the Library Committee (consisting of John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice

M. T. Beach, Mrs. Clara A. Wales, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree and John E. Bradley), and the books, charts and furnishings were found in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian, whose report follows:

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE TURNER FREE
LIBRARY.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Librarian respectfully submits for your consideration, this, his thirty-fourth annual report. The year of 1907 has has been a very satisfactory one in the history of the Library. More volumes have been delivered for home use than for several previous years, while the attendance in the various departments is continued with somewhat increasing interest.

The appointment of a Custodian for the Reading Room has proved most desirable in many ways, and the good order preserved is very gratifying to such as choose to occupy and enjoy the room, and just here permit me to thank you for the appointment, as also to renew my assurance of the uniform appreciation and encouragement accorded me by your honorable Board of Trustees. It seems to me that a mutual conviction and purpose has ever prevailed, that the Library is primarily an integral part of the system of Free Public Edu-

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cation; and (that its mission may be most effective), it must be ever considered not as a mere Store House for books, but as a rich Treasure House, whose stores of wealth are ever available; it must minister to the needs of a community not only for entertainment or culture, but just as promptly to the demand for the best in every line of investigation.

During the past year the Library was open 274 days, and the total circulation of books (not including the Reference Department) was 22,038, a daily average of 81. The largest daily circulation was on April 13, when 336 were loaned. The smallest was on February 5, with a record of only 5.

The number of Card Holders remains about the same as last year (about 1,500.)

Forty-seven dollars (\$47) have been collected on delinquent books, and the money has been paid into the Treasury. During the year 624 volumes have been added to the Library, making the total of accessioned books 21,230. Of these additions, 399 have been acquired by purchase; 59 by the binding of Periodicals, and 166 by gift, chiefly National or State publications.

The new Heating Plant is thus far doing excellent work: with the coming of the severer cold of mid-winter, we shall have a better opportunity to test its real merits. The Library has been favored with 12 exhibits from the Library Art Club; each of which has been exceptionally fine. I heartily wish that the people of the town could give to these choice exhibits more time and attention.

Titles of the Several Exhibits.

Rome, No. 1; Norway, No. 1; American Parks; Salisbury; Arizona, Grand Canyon of; Russia; Italian Fountains Famous Pictures, No. 5; Canterbury; Yellowstone, No. 2; New Zealand; China.

The Reference Department is well supplied with standard works, and no expensive additions will be required during the coming year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHARLES C. FARNHAM, Librarian.

To his foregoing report the Librarian subjoins the following statistical table:

	Days	Circulation	Average
January, library open	26	2,330	90
February, library open	24	2,335	90
March, library open	25	2,113	85
April, library open	25	2,549	102
May, library open	26	2,020	78
June, library open	25	1,828	73
July, library open	17	1,072	63
August, library open	6	211	35
September, library open	23	1,453	63
October, library open	27	1,686	63
November, library open	25	2,079	83
December, library open	25	2,222	89
Yearly total	274	22,038	81
Randolph, Mass., December 31, 1907.			

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The committee on finance (consisting of Asa P. French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Herbert W. Pratt and Charles H. Thayer) report as follows:

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report: The committee, through its Chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1907, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The Committee has also examined the securities representing the investments of the library funds, and has found them intact, and as shown by the annexed schedule. The only change of investment during the year has been the purchase of five (5) one thousand dollar bonds of the Boston Elevated Railway Company, with the proceeds of the note of the Town of Randolph for five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, which became due and was paid during the year.

SCHEDULE OF SECURITIES.

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	Par value.
5 Boston Elevated Railway bonds	\$5,000 00
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bond	1,000 00
2 Chicago & West Michigan R'y. bonds	2,000 00
1 Old Colony Railroad bond	1,000 00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. bond	1,000 00
1 New York Central & Hudson River bond	1,000 00

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2	Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western R. R. bonds	1,000 00
3	Union Pacific R. R. bonds	1,500 00
33	Shares pfd. stock Union Pacific R. R. Co.	3,300 00
The Royal W. Turner legacy is invested in		
10	Old Colony R. R. bonds	10,000 00
10	Wayne County, Mich., bonds	10,000 00
		\$36,800 00

For thirty-two years the Turner Free Library has maintained a prosperous existence. During the whole of this period the trustees fortunately have been able to retain the services of the present incumbent, Dr. Charles C. Farnham, as librarian. To him and his assistants, past and present, is due much that has contributed to the efficiency and success of a well conducted library.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 1, 1908.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

Randolph, January 1, 1908.

To the Trustees of Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the by-laws, I here-

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by submit my annual report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library.

RECEIPTS.

Income Turner Fund	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund	800 00
Rent Randolph Savings Bank	300 00
Rent C. Fred Lyons	250 00
Rent Ladies' Library Association	15 00
Interest Town Note	178 88
Fines and Collections	51 28
Randolph Savings Bank, fuel 1906	80 41
Interest bank deposit	51 78
Note, Town of Randolph	5,000 00
Balance January 1, 1907	615 90
	\$7,845 25

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for books and periodicals	\$495 91
Paid for book binding	128 16
Salary of Librarian	500 00
Salary of Assistant	250 00
Salary of Janitor	125 00
Paid Custodian	122 50
Electric light and lamps	115 25
Supplies	31 96
Express	10 40
Repairs	78 09

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Library Art Club	6 00
Fuel	339 50
Printing	7 75
Rent safe deposit box	10 00
Rent of post office box	2 40
Insurance	175 00
Boston Elevated bond	5,000 00
Balance December 31, 1907	447 33
	\$7,845 25

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	Each.
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bond of	\$1,000 00
2 Chicago & West Michigan bonds	1,000 00
1 Old Colony R. R. bond	1,000 00
1 Western Telephone & Telegraph bond of	1,000 00
1 New York Central & Hudson River R. R. bond of	1,000 00
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western R. R. bonds of	1,000 00
3 Union Pacific bonds of	500 00
33 Shares of the preferred stock of the Union Pacific R. R.	

The Royal W. Turner Legacy is invested in:

	Each.
10 Old Colony R. R. bonds of	\$1,000 00

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10 Wayne County Michigan bonds of 1,000 00

The remaining funds of the Library are represented by 5 bonds—Boston Elevated R. R. of \$1,000 each.

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN,

Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
FOR 1907

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ROYAL T. MANN, CHAIRMAN
REDMOND P. BARRETT, SECRETARY

ROYAL T. MANN	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1909
REDMOND P. BARRETT	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1910
EDWARD LONG	.	.	.	.	Term expires 1908

Trustees of the Stetson School Fund.

ROYAL T. MANN, Chairman.
FRED M. FRENCH, Secretary.

ROYAL T. MANN	.	.	.	Term expires 1909
REDMOND P. BARRETT	.	.	.	Term expires 1910
EDWARD LONG	.	.	.	Term expires 1908

Superintendent of Schools.

WATSON C. LEA.

Office, School Committee Rooms. Tuesday and Thursday,
3 to 4 o'clock P. M.

Regular meeting of the School Committee last Friday of
the month, 7.30 P. M.

Report of the School Committee

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The School Committee hereby make and submit for your consideration their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1907.

Our Superintendent of Schools, Dr. John E. Bradley, resigned June 30th, 1907. He was our first superintendent, and he filled the position for six years. He was a lover of education, was very much interested in our boys and girls, and used every effort to ~~see them~~ ^{lead them} to a higher and more advanced education. The systematization and improvement of our schools is largely due to his efforts during the past six years. Mr. Watson C. Lea was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. John E. Bradley, and has for the past four months endeavored to keep up the high standard of our schools.

During the summer vacation, a steam heating plant and sanitary closets were erected in the North Grammar school building in accordance with the vote of the town at the annual town meeting. These improvements were much needed and have added to the comfort and welfare of the scholars; they are satisfactory in every respect.

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Two of the school buildings have been painted externally this year. Many small repairs have been made, which makes the school property in good condition, with the exception of the Tower Hill building which needs repairing externally this year.

School census taken September 1907, shows the number of children between the ages of five and fifteen to be 711.

A detailed statement of the expenditures and receipts in this department for the year ending December 31, 1907, is annexed to this report.

The committee ask the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the expenses of the schools for the year ending December 31, 1908:

For teaching	\$8,400 00
Care of rooms	625 00
Fuel	750 00
Books and supplies	1,100 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils	400 00
Superintendent of schools	600 00
School committee	300 00
Stetson high school	2,600 00
	\$15,875 00
Less estimate revenue from dog tax,	
State school fund and Coddington fund	\$1,100 00
State, for superintendent of schools	300 00

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State, for salary of teachers	200 00	
	\$1,600 00	
		\$14,275 00

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL T. MANN,

R. P. BARRETT,

EDWARD LONG,

School Committee.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS, 1907.

Teaching (38 weeks).

Paid Nelson Freeman	\$1,000 00
Joseph Belcher	\$1,000 00
Katherine A. Kiley	488 00
Ellen P. Henry	450 00
Hannah F. Hoyer	450 00
Katherine E. Sheridan	437 00
Mary E. Wrenn	418 00
Kitty R. Molloy	418 00
Clara A. Tolman	330 00
Sara C. Belcher	418 00
Fannie A. Campbell	418 00
Ellen E. McLaughlin	418 00
Katherine J. Riley	418 00
Fannie Devine	418 00
Ina L. Parlin	374 00

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Clara L. Harlow	156 00
Rose G. Hand	25 00
Mrs. Annie M. Belcher	44 00
Ellen R. Farrington	88 00
	\$7,768 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Dr. John E. Bradley, Jan. 1 to July 1	\$300 00
Watson C. Lea, July 1 to Dec. 31	300 00
	\$600 00

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Paid Am. Book Co.	\$434 54
Ginn & Co.	332 45
J. L. Hammet Co.	192 77
Silver, Burdett & Co.	71 59
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.	32 76
De Wolff Fisk	3 47
Allyn & Bacon	3 67
Park Publishing Co.	3 00
Schoenhof Book Co.	1 12
Wadsworth Howland Co.	83 73
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	123.22
F. J. Barnard	58 35

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L. E. Knott Appr. Co.	21 33
Oliver Ditson Co.	2 60
Estate F. Porter	8 75
McAuliffe Drug Co.	2 35
Samuel Ward	5 40
H. B. Sanborn	2 50
M. A. Atherton	12 00
	\$1,395 60

FUEL FOR SCHOOLS.

Paid M. E. Leahy, coal, wood	\$296 25
D. B. White, coal	207 50
B. F. Hayden, coal	175 00
Edwin M. Mann, wood	41 50
	\$720 25

CARE OF ROOMS.

Paid John P. Rooney,	\$369 00
S. Melvin Clark	177 80
Mrs. Eleanor Holbrook	43 00
Wm. Carroll	17 82
A. W. Alden	16 00
	\$623 62

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

IMPROVEMENTS NORTH GRAMMAR BUILDING.

Paid R. E. O'Brien, steam heating contract	\$1,000 00
R. E. O'Brien, sanitary closets, contract	800 00
J. Frank Libby, carpenter work	399 06
Wm. Mahedy, excavating and stone work	51 20
C. E. Lyons, cement floor and mason work	60 70
	\$2,310 97

CONVEYING PUPILS.

Paid Julius Fisher	\$26 50
Old Colony St. Railway	335 00
	\$361 50

SALARIES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Paid Royal T. Mann	\$100 00
Redmond P. Barrett	100 00
Edward Long	100 00

GENERAL EXPENSE.

Paid W. B. Spear, painting No. Grammar	\$145 00
W. Allen painting West Corner	75 00

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H. Frank Libby	144 91
Wm. Mahedy	32 50
John P. Rooney	28 00
James F. Hurley	66 00
F. E. Chapin	35 00
M. K. Hill	52 00
R. E. O'Brien	39 74
E. A. Perry	38 25
W. F. Barrett	20 00
F. J. Donohue	20 00
Nelson Mann	20 00
M. E. Leahy	12 25
A. D. Dimmock	8 40
W. J. Dobbins	6 00
Forbes Lithograph Co.	16 55
Stone & Forsyth	10 63
Loring & Howard	6 80
Wm. Carroll	6 50
M. J. O'Connell	2 00
Dexter Clark	1 00
W. C. Lea	2 12
P. H. McLaughlin	1 75
Wm. McElwain	8 75
Murphy & Leavins	4 50
C. Fred Lyons	8 66
Standard Printing Co.	2 16
E. A. Dustin	6 00
Estate C. H. Nichols	37 17
Joseph Belcher	2 97
Nelson Freeman	1 00

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R. E. Kibbe	4 55
Dakin Drug Co.	1 50
Estate of Chas. Doughty, light	44 55
H. W. Pratt, insurance	77 13
Fred M. French, insurance	36 50
Joseph T. Leahy, insurance	58 50

\$1,084 34

SUMMARY

Received appropriation, including S. H. S. and No.

Grammar	\$15,500 00
from City of Boston, tuition	13 00
from State Bd. of Charity	119 00
from State on account of Superintendent	500 00
from Mass. School Fund	847 49
from dog tax	493 77
from interest, Coddington fund	85 54
from sale of stoves	65 00
from sale of old building	15 00
from sale of old building	35 00
from sale of junk	1 20

\$17,675 00

EXPENSES.

Paid for teaching	\$7,768 00
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for superintendent	600 00
for books and supplies	1,395 60
for general expense	1,084 34
for fuel	720 25
for care of rooms	623 62
for conveying pupils	361 50
for school committee	300 00
for improvements at No. Grammar	2,310 97
for Sec'y Trustees, S. H. school fund	2,500 00
	\$17,664 28
Balance unexpended	\$10 42

Stetson School Fund

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The change in the investment of this fund since our last annual report is as follows:

We sold ten shares of National Exchange Bank for \$1,925.00 and purchased two of Boston & Maine 4 per cent bonds for \$2,000.00, withdrawing seventy-five dollars from deposit in Randolph Savings Bank. The fund now is invested as follows, the valuation being at par:

4 shares State National Bank	\$400 00
10 shares Atlantic National Bank	1,000 00
10 shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
10 shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00
8 shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5 shares New England National Bank	500 00
7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4 per cent bonds	7,000 00
2 Boston & Maine 4 per cent bonds	2,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph Co., 4 per cent	

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bonds	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,312 66
1 Piano, in Stetson Hall	200 00
	\$19,212 66

The Turner Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis Minn., bond, \$1,000 00.

The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is hereunto annexed.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL T. MANN,

R. P. BARRETT,

EDWARD LONG,

Trustees Stetson School Fund.

Randolph, January 27, 1908.

The undersigned, Selectmen of Randolph, having this day made an examination of the accounts of the Trustees of the Stetson School Fund for the year 1907, find them correct.

The investments for the fund are as follows:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4 per cent joint bonds, at \$1,000	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4 per cent bonds, at \$1,000	\$2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4 per cent bonds at \$1,000	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,312 66

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

10 shares Atlantic National Bank	1,000 00
10 shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00
10 shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
8 shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5 shares New England National Bank	500 00
4 shares State National Bank	400 00
Piano in Stetson Hall	200 00

\$19,212 66

We also find in the hands of the Secretary a \$1,000 bond of the City of Minneapolis, Minn., the investment for the Turner Fund.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

DR. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH

1907

To balance of old account	\$0 90
town appropriation for year	\$2,500 00
bank dividends, Atlantic	\$60 00
bank dividends Old Boston	50 00
bank dividends, Webster & Atlas	48 00
bank dividends, Boylston	40 00
bank dividends, New England	35 00
bank dividends, State	30 00
	\$263 00
interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds	280 00
interest on Am. Telephone & Telegraph bonds	80 00
interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds	40 00
interest on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	129 76
rent of hall for year	174 50
	\$3,468 16

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THE STETSON HIGH SCHOOL FUND, CR.

1907

By paying F. E. Chapin, salary to Dec. 31	\$1,399 92
Katherine F. Garrity salary to Dec. 31	549 96
E. M. Parker salary to March 31	159 20
Nellie M. Stearns salary to Dec. 31	390 76
Mary W. Henderson salary to Dec. 31	240 00
Rose G. Hand, musical instructor	75 00
Arthur W. Alden, janitor	139 00
Estate of Charles Doughty, lighting and sup- plies	116 55
M. K. Hill, printing	54 50
Herbert W. Pratt, insurance	23 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	42 56
R. E. O'Brien, labor and material	38 50
G. F. Taylor, labor and material	10 75
E. W. Campagna, labor and material	2 13
D. B. White, coal	50 25
Frank F. Smith, charcoal	24 00
D. T. Clark, cleaning clocks	4 50
Edwin M. Mann, wood	32 00
E. A. Perry, labor	23 25
Henry Campbell, lettering	2 00
C. E. Lyons, labor and material	7 50
Trustees and Secretary, services two years	40 00
Balance	42 83
	\$3,468 16

Randolph, January 27, 1908.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson School Fund and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

REPORT
OF THE
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

Randolph, December 31, 1907.

To the School Committee and Citizens of Randolph:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit my first annual report, the seventh in the series of superintendent's reports.

Statistics of the year follow:

SUMMARY FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1907.

Population of Randolph, census of 1905	4,034
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Children between the ages of 5 and 15, school census, Sept. 1907:

Boys	349
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Girls	358
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Total	707
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Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of compulsory attendance) school census, Sept. 1907:

Boys	284
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Girls	305
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Total	589
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Number enrolled in schools:	
Boys	348
Girls	381
Total	729
Average membership	650.74
Average attendance	623.77
Per cent of attendance, based on average membership	94.97
Number of pupils under 5 years of age	5
Number between 5 and 15	658
Number between 7 and 14	506
Number over 15	42
Cases of truancy	12
Number not absent	90
Number not tardy	461
Neither absent nor tardy	46
Number of grade promotions (returns incomplete):	
Number of school buildings	6
Number of schools keeping separate registers	16
Number of regular teachers	18
Number of teachers who have graduated from college	4
Number who have graduated from normal school	5
Number who have attended normal school without graduation	1
Number of different pupils attending high school during the year 1906-1907	90
Number graduated from high school in June 1907	7
Number admitted to high school during the year	39
Number graduated from the eighth grade in June 1907	57

Table of Enrolment by Grades, 1906-1907

Schools	XII	XI	X	IX	VIII	VII	VI	V	IV	III	II	I	Building Totals
STETSON HIGH	7	17	27	39									90
PRESCOTT					37	49	39	45	50	54			274
PRESTOTT Primary											42	51	93
NORTH SCHOOL					36	25	31	38	23	25	16	20	214
TOWER HILL										8	4	13	25
WEST CORNER										11	11	11	33
Total for Grades	7	17	27	39	73	74	70	83	73	98	73	95	729

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ANNUAL ENROLMENT FOR SIX YEARS.

Year ending June 30, 1902	715
Year ending June 30, 1903	695
Year ending June 30, 1904	712
Year ending June 30, 1905	699
Year ending June 30, 1906	726
Year ending June 30, 1907	729

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, 1907.

These tests have been made by the teachers during the fall of 1907, in accordance with the law, using the directions and apparatus prescribed by the State Board of Health, and furnished by the State Board of Education.

Inasmuch as there are many incompetents who attempt to correct errors of vision, parents are advised to consult the family physician when selecting a specialist to treat the eyes or ears of children.

The summary follows:

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

SUMMARY OF SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, IN THE SCHOOLS OF RANDOLPH

1907-1908

Schools.	Grade.	No. of pupils Enrolled.	No. with Defec- tive Eyesight.	No. with Defec- tive Hearing.	No. Parents and Guardians Notified.
Stetson High		101	27	5	9
Prescott	8	39	5	1	0
Prescott	7	38	2	1	3
Prescott	6	43	1	1	1
Prescott	5	49	8	0	8
Prescott	4	50	8	2	8
Prescott	3	40	9	0	9
Prescott	2	43	6	0	2
Prescott	1	52	2	1	0
North	7 and 8				
North	6				
North	5	194	52	13	31
North	3 and 4				
North	1 and 2				
Tower Hill	1 — 4	16	0	0	0
West Corner	1 — 3	32	2	1	3
Totals		697	122	25	74

GENERAL CONDITIONS.

Three months observation of the pupils and their work leads to the belief that the children do not, as a whole, exhibit such powers as ought reasonably to be expected. Power of attention and application is not what it should be. Understanding and expression in reading is often poor. Insight, grasp, thinking power are especially weak. Children come up to the grammar grades, and especially to the high school, at too immature an age to be able to do the work properly.

The high school register shows that of a class of 39 pupils entering in September, 1906, 15 ranged in age from 13 years to 13 years and 11 months. Four others still younger ranged from 12 years and 2 months to 12 years and 11 months. One pupil who had already attended high school a year, was 11 years and 10 months old. He must, therefore, have entered at the tender age of ten years and 10 months. The average age of this class was 14 years and 16-39ths of a month. For the entire school the average was but a trifle over 14 years and 8 months,

(See report of the Principal of High School, Page 109, Randolph Town Report for 1906.)

At the opening of school in September, 1907, conditions were still worse. Averages for the four classes beginning with the highest were as follows:

Sixteen years, 7 4-13ths months; 15 years, 10-13ths of

a month; 14 years, 11 7-25ths months; 13 years, 9 5-12ths of a month.

For the entire school the average age was 14 years, 7 35-49ths of a month.

For this state of affairs, there is one chief cause. Children begin first grade work too early. Five years is too young for entrance upon the regular work of the first grade of a good eight grade system. A sub-primary grade with more or less kindergarten work would be of great advantage to the beginner. The value of this extra time would appear not merely in the first grade but all along the elementary course and through the high school. Failing such an arrangement, children for their own good should not be allowed to enter school until six years of age. This is the common practice in by far the larger part of the United States. Eight grade systems with entrance at six years are the rule west of the Hudson river.

Kindergartens, or sub-primary grades take care of children below that age if they go to school at all. (See Report, U. S. Commissioner of Education for 1906, Vol.I p. 330 and following.

The city of Providence has an eight grade system, but does not admit until the age of six. Boston has this year reduced its nine grades below high school to eight. Inquiry today at the office of the school department elicited the fact that while children are admitted to kindergarten at three and a half years, the great majority do not enter the first grade until nearly or quite six years old. The average age of entrance to Boston high schools was said

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to run from fourteen and one-half to fifteen years, instead of thirteen years and about nine months as at the Stetson High school this year.

It will be seen that the average age of that entire school just about equals the age of entrance to high school in Boston.

As it will take some time to fully correct the present situation, the remedy should be applied at the earliest possible moment. I recommend the establishment next year of a sub-primary grade for beginners.

If there are other reasons for unsatisfactory results which do not lie in the children themselves, we, who are responsible for the kind and quality of teaching, must redouble our efforts.

In closing I desire to express my hearty appreciation of the earnest co-operation and support of the Committee and teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON C. LEA.

TABULAR STATEMENT—YEAR OF 1906—1907.

School	Grade	Teachers	Total Enrollment	Boys	Girls	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per cent. of Attendance	Pupils not absent or tardy	Grade Promotions
Stetson High		F. E. Chapin.....	90	32	58	84.18	80.39	95.49	8	75
Stetson High		Bertha M. Munster..								
Stetson High		Nellie M. Stearns.....								
Stetson High		Katherine F. Garrity								
Stetson High		Mary W. Henderson..								
Prescott	8	Nelson Freeman.....	37	19	18	35.20	34.65	98.42	10	30
Prescott	7	Katherine A. Kiley...	49	23	26	46.50	45.80	98.50	8	35
Prescott	6	Hannah F. Hoye.....	39	17	22	36.80	35.60	96.70	4	30
Prescott	5	Katherine E. Sheridan	45	18	27	39.00	38.00	97.00	4	..
Prescott	4	Mary E. Wren.....	50	27	23	48.06	46.24	96.00	1	42
Prescott	3	Ellen E. McLaughlin..	54	30	24	48.50	45.19	95.00	6	42
Prescott	2	Fannie A. Campbell..	42	21	21	36.80	35.30	96.00	1	32
Prescott	1	Kittie R. Molloy....	51	29	22	44.00	42.00	95.00	2	37

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North School	7 and 8	Joseph Belcher.....	61	30	31	56.00	52.60	95.70	0	45
North School	6	Ellen P. Henry.....	31	17	14	28.70	26.60	93.00	2	24
North School	5	Sarah C. Belcher.....	38	19	19	35.00	32.00	92.00	0	..
North School	3 and 4	Fannie M. Devine....	48	20	28	39.00	36.00	92.00	0	35
North School	1 and 2	Clara A. Tolman.....	36	21	15	30.00	27.00	90.00	0	21
Tower Hill	1 — 3	Katherine J. Riley...	25	10	15	19.30	17.40	90.10	0	16
West Corner	1 — 3	Ina L. Parlin.....	33	15	18	29.70	28.00	94.00	0	24
		Totals	729	348	381	656.74	623.77	94.97	46	

APPENDIX
TO THE REPORT
OF THE
Superintendent of Schools

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ROLL OF HONOR.

A. Not absent or tardy during the year.

STETSON HIGH.

Ray French Hayden	Norman Ellsworth Jones
Robert Benedict Kelliher	Herford Payson Kenyon
Mary Alice Murphy	Michael J. O'Neil
Mabel Louise Scott	John Russell Willard

PRESCOTT VIII.

Ralph Boyd	George Hollis
Anna Kane	Thomas Kennedy
William Kiley	Mary Leahy
Blanche Marcille	Dorothy Piper
Elizabeth Sheehan	Herbert Towns

PRESCOTT VII.

Thomas Desmond	Edward Fahey
Margaret Gill	Rosamond Hagney
Svea Johnson	Henry Kiley
Hugh McCabe	Anna Morgan

PRESCOTT VI.

Kathleen Donovan	Annie Lyons
Mary Hagney	Marshall Leavitt

PRESCOTT V.

Aloysius Murphy	Amy Whalen
May Morgan	Annie Madigan

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

PRESCOTT IV.

Edward O'Brien

PRESCOTT III.

Walter Carney
James Donovan
Russell Towns

Marion Leavitt
Viola Wood
Mary Sheridan

PRESCOTT II.

Anna Leahy

PRESCOTT I.

Majorie Brennan

John McCarthy

NORTH VII-VIII.

Alberta E. Bustard
Alice M. Hayden
Jennie W. Mann
Mary Meaney
Gertrude Niles

Gladys Mae Porter
Florence Webster
Catherine J. Williams
Granville Wright
Mahlon Wood

Charles G. Devine.

NORTH VI.

Lillian Converse

Sumner L. Eddy

NORTH V.

None

NORTH III-IV.

None

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NORTH I-II.

None

TOWER HILL

Thomas G. Bates	Ruth E. Brennan
Margaret J. Briggs	Ruth Briggs
Anna Carroll	Louis Crovo
Eileen B. Cushman	Eugene Dickey
Martha Gallagher	Ardelle H. Perry
John C. Ryan	Maurice K. Ryan
W. Eastman Stearns	Martha J. Smith
Elmer H. Perry	Marion A. Webster

WEST CORNER

Walter Larsen	Seth Mann
Sadie Patten	

B. Not absent or tardy during two terms.

STETSON HIGH.

James Francis Cahill	Alice Coyle Dowd
John Joseph Mahoney	Winifred Frances McCabe
Joseph McMahon	Nora Mary O'Neil
Corinne Fay Tileston	

PRESCOTT VIII.

Anna Decota	Edmund Flaherty
Josephine Kehoe	Frank Mullins
Joseph Murphy	Florence Roddan
Charles Spence	Leo Sullivan

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

PRESCOTT VII.

William Brennan	Hazel Champion
Terence Dargan	Harry Dolan
Ella Heney	Charles Kiley
Abbie Lyons	Joseph Rudderham
Alice Shepard	May Spence
Marie Sullivan	Mary Tierney

PRESCOTT VI.

Evelyn Curtis	Evelyn Carney
Henry Mullins	Albert Powderly

PRESCOTT V

James Tierney	Alice Manning
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PRESCOTT IV

Siegfried Bolin	Mary Danto
Marion Hurley	Barbara Hoye

PRESCOTT III

Henry Morgan	Anna Brown
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PRESCOTT II

Anna Brady	Hattie Neary
Louis Mulligan	George McCabe

PRESCOTT I

Grace Donovan	Aurora Nelson
Chas. Marcille	Geo. Trombley
Lenora Bump	

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NORTH VII—VIII

Mary Barry

Olive B. Mann

Edna G. Rhodes

J. Milton French

NORTH VI

Henry Pinkerton

NORTH V

Rena J. Wrisley

Herman C. McGrath

NORTH III—IV

John Bustard

John Curry

Allen F. Spear

NORTH I—II

None

TOWER HILL

Anna Carroll

Walter A. Sherwood

WEST CORNER

Elsie Taber

George Teed

Elberta White

C. Not absent or tardy during one term.

STETSON HIGH

Winthrop Stanley Atherton

Marion Lucy Bailey

Elizabeth Rose DeNeill

Katherine Elizabeth Foley

Patrick Francis Gill

Charles Edward Hand

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Rhea Beatrice Hogan	Elizabeth Barbara Holden
Emma Cornelia Kelley	Geraldine Beatrice Kennedy
Mary Mahan	William Francis McAuliffe
Marion Meaney	Edward Joseph Morgan
Charlotte Robbins	Ruth Marie Rudderham
Josephine Mary Walsh	Almira May White

PRESCOTT VIII

Annie Desmond	Walter Farrell
Florence Foster	William Gill
Gertrude Henneberry	, Agnes Kane
Elizabeth O'Neil	William Sewall

Margaret Strickland

PRESCOTT VII

Doris Burrell	Joseph Crowley
*Leo Dench	Madeleine Dillon
Lucien Hogan	Roy Robbins
Ellen Stanton	Helen Sullivan
William Cunningham	Anna Walsh

PRESCOTT VI

Mary Desmond	George Dolan
Blanche Farrell	Edward Foley
Grace Foley	Leo Kelliher
May Long	Francis Mahoney
Agnes O'Neil	Bernard Scannell
Mary O'Neil	Grace Brennan

Esther Sullivan

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PRESCOTT V

Jane Monroe	Frank Desmond
Elmer French	William Leahy
Elizabeth Luddington	Joseph Mulligan
Gertrude Sullivan	Edith Simmons
Helen Roddan	

PRESCOTT IV

Dwight Boyd	Joseph Dench
James Dowd	Paul Faxon
Henry Dillon	David Good
Hazel Trombley	Harold Jones
Alice Marcille	William Lonergan
Marjorie Sullivan	Timothy O'Neil

PRESCOTT III

Arthur Brennan	Bernice Abbott
Walter Kelliher	Anna Sullivan
John O'Brien	Adeline Murphy
John Purcell	Letita Scannell
John Devine	Joseph Condon
Thomas Lyons	

PRESCOTT II

Alice Desmond	Frederick Mahoney
Mary Clark	Frank Mahoney
Celia Devine	Francis Mullany
Mabel Foster	William Condon
Harold Kane	John Gill
Henry Gill	Theodore Luddington

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

PRECOTT I

Elizabeth Good	Mary Henry
Katherine Madigan	Lillian Purcell
Vincent Dolan	Kenneth Hutchinson
Richard Walsh	Milton Robbins

NORTH VII—VIII

Marion Hinckley	Edith B. Wright
Walter G. Coddens	Charles H. Smith
Joseph Heney	Frank Lyons
Frank H. Bromade	Donald Cunningham
Ellis H. Mann	William Meaney
Anna Larsen	Elizabeth Larsen
Robert Gibson	

NORTH VI

Arthur Lyons	Edith Mahan
Elinor Smith	Rena M. Libby
William Mann	William Carroll

NORTH V

M. Daisy McLea	Marion Truelson
Ralph E. DeForrest	

NORTH III—IV

Hazel A. Hewins	Rosa L. Meaney
Vivian Shurtliff	George Beane
Carlton B. Lyons	James Mann
Dale Nelson	

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NORTH I—II

Carl Bustard

Mary Carrie

TOWER HILL

None

WEST CORNER

Harold K. Eddy

Madeline Evans

Mabel E. Mann

Mabel A. Mann

Leslie R. Chandler

Willie Truelson

Total number of names on Roll of Honor 282.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVEN

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Stetson, Hall, Randolph, Thursday Evening, June 27 1907.

PROGRAM.

Opening March.

Invocation,—

Rev. Manley B. Townsend.

Chorus.—“The Flower of Liberty” Marshall

Salutatory—

Marguerite E. Wales.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Recitation—"Joam Decosta" Vernes
Alice G. McCarthy.

Old Melody

Chorus—"Sun and Shadow" Words by O. W. Holmes

Famous Places of Massachusetts—

Elizabeth C. Brennan.

Soprano Solo—"Sing On" Denza
Mary J. Leahy.

The Jamestown Exposition—

Blanche I. Meaney.

Recitation—"Angel's Wickedness" Corelli
Margaret H. Kelliher.

Chorus—"The Storm Fiend" Marshall
Thorwaldsen's Frieze

Presentation of Class Gift—"The Triumphal Entry of
Alexander the Great into Babylon"
Elizabeth M. Vye.

Violin Solo—(a) "Melodrame" F. LeFort
(b) "Mazurka in A Major" Ovid Musin
Carrie Louise Aiton.

Class Prophecy—
Marguerite E. Wales.

Valedictory—
Mary J. Leahy.

Chorus—"Good-Night, Beloved"
Ciro Pinsuti
Arr. by H. Wilson

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Presentation of Diplomas and the Turner Medals.

Superintendent John E. Bradley, LL.D.

"America"

School and Audience.

CLASS OF 1907. S. H. S.

LATIN COURSE.

Elizabeth Clare Brennan

Alice Gertrude McCarthy

Margaret Helena Kelliher

Elizabeth Madeline Vye

Mary Josephine Leahy

Marguerite Ella Wales

ENGLISH COURSE.

Blanche Irene Meaney.

CLASS ORGANIZATION.

President, Mary J. Leahy.

Vice-President, Blanche I. Meaney.

Secretary, Margaret H. Kelliher.

Treasurer, Elizabeth C. Brennan.

Executive Committee.

Marguerite E. Wales

Elizabeth M. Vye

Alice G. McCarthy.

TRUSTEES OF STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Royal T. Mann

Redmond P. Barrett

Edward Long.

Secretary of the Board, Fred M. French.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

John E. Bradley, LL. D.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING.

The work in drawing includes both freehand and mechanical drawing. The freehand work trains the eye to see and the hand to represent upon paper with pencil or brush what the eye sees. In this work, we use as models, toys, common objects, and children in the pose lessons. The mechanical drawing is done from measurement of objects, with ruler and compass, sometimes using actual measurement and sometimes reduced measurements. In connection with the work, we have constructive and decorative design. The constructive design is the planning and construction of objects such as a box or envelope. Decorative design is the adding of ornamentation to objects made, to make them more pleasing to the eye. This work also includes the study of color harmony. I consider design work very important, as it is the principle underlying all things that are made—of things that we use in our homes and the clothes we wear. By studying good design and good color we are able to buy articles of clothing and for home use, that are in good taste.

The work shows improvement. We must consider how little time is given to drawing, compared with the time given to other studies. We must have a foundation before we can do elaborate work successfully, and I am working for a solid foundation.

Last year, I introduced water color and brush work to a greater extent than before. The work is taken up in the

fifth grade and up through the eighth. This work is advancing. In the high school the seniors are to apply designs made, to leather and possibly brass.

CLARA L. HARLOW.

REPORTS OF TRUANT OFFICERS.

Randolph, January 22, 1908.

Prof. Watson C. Lea.

Dear Sir—I would respectfully submit the following as my report for the year 1907. During the year I have been called upon to investigate ten cases of absence from school, most of which I found were truancy, and were promptly corrected.

At the present time, everything is moving along in a very satisfactory manner.

Very truly yours,

NELSON MANN,

Truant Officer.

Randolph, January 26, 1908.

WATSON C. LEA, Superintendent.

Dear Sir—During the year 1907, I have been called upon to investigate seventeen cases of absentees from school and I found that the parents were at fault in most of the cases in keeping their children from school and I have had

to threaten some of them with prosecution before I could get them to realize that they were obliged to send their children to school, and it had the desired effect also with the truants the same.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK J. DONAHOE,

Truant Officer.

GRADUATES OF THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

June, 1906.

PRESCOTT SCHOOL.

Axel Bolin	Ralph N. Boyd
Joseph B. Clark	Anna Decota
Dorothy W. Faxon	William Gill
Gertrude Henneberry	Gertrude Hess
George M. Hollis	Agnes Kane
Anna Kane	Josephine M. Kehoe
William J. Kiley	Thomas Kennedy
Mary Leahy	Anna M. Long
Blanche S. Marcelle	James McDonald
Frank Mullens	Joseph Murphy
Neal O'Keefe	Elizabeth O'Neil
Dorothy Piper	Florence S. Roddan
William Sewall	Elizabeth Sheehan
Charles A. Spence	Margaret E. Strickland
Leo Sullivan	Herbert A. Towns

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NORTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Frank H. Bromade	Carroll A. Bump
Walter G. Coddens	William A. Connell
Charles G. Devine	Roger W. J. Feeley
J. Milton French	Joseph Heney
Arthur Hagney	Harold Macauley
Ellis H. Mann	Charles H. Smith
Granville H. Wright	Donald Cunningham
Doris A. Bump	Ida Wallace Flynn
Mary Frances Hayes	Alice M. Hayden
Evelyn Mahan	Gertrude Niles
Gladys Mae Porter	Catherine J. Williams
Edith B. Wright	Mary Barry
Mary Meaney	Alice McAuliffe
Catherine J. McDonald	

Report of Fire Department

Randolph, Dec. 31, 1907.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Engineers.

The department was organized May 1, 1907, as follows:

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

C. A. Wales, chief; D. J. Brennan, J. E. Blanche, M. F. Sullivan, assistants; W. A. Croak, clerk.

APPARATUS AND COMPANIES.

Hose wagon 1—Frank Harris, driver.

Hose 2—P. Joseph Riley, driver.

Ladder Truck 1—George Canaway, driver.

Chemical Engine 1—J. E. Blanche, driver.

Hose Co. 1—12 men, John P. Rooney, foreman.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, George L. Stetson, foreman.

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Ladder Co. 1—12 men, Charles S. Dolan, foreman.
Chemical Co.—12 men, Edward F. Meany, foreman.

FIRES.

- Jan. 9, 1907—Alarm at 6.35 A. M., from Box 45 for fire in the dwelling on Jones avenue, owned by T. B. Jones and occupied by Mrs. Patrick Meany; damage about \$50; cause, overturned lamp; all out, 7.17 A. M.
- Feb. 13—Alarm at 6 P. M., from Box 61, for fire in dwelling on Gold street, owned by Mrs. Hugh Hickey and occupied by William Allison. The building was destroyed; loss about \$500; cause, accidental, all out signal, 7.15 P. M.
- March 21—Alarm at 2.47 P. M., from Box 28, for fire in grass and brush in rear of Edward Dolan. Union street; all out signal 3.03 P. M.
- March 22—Alarm from Box 29, at 1.35 A. M., for fire in building on Warren street, owned by heirs of Obed Jones and occupied by Robert Taylor as a grocery and provision store, and Fred A. Spear as a boarding house, with stable in the rear. This building was consumed, as was a small stable in the rear, the flames then attacked the large shoe factory only twenty feet away, owned by C. H. Collins of Boston, and occupied by the Royal Shoe Co. and William H. Denehey. This building was nearly all destroyed. A determined fight was made to save a portion of the front, or north end of the building in order to save the dwelling of Edward Mahon within 25 or 30 feet of the burning factory..

Three alarms were sounded, assistance was asked from Brockton and Holbrook. Brockton responded with steamer and hose wagon and eleven men; Holbrook sent hose wagon and eight men. Nine other buildings were set on fire by sparks from this fire, which required quick work on the part of the firemen for a time. The buildings which were set on fire on their roofs were: Edward Mahon, dwelling; W. P. Sullivan, grocer. This building was badly damaged, as it is located across Warren street, opposite the burning factory. Dwellings of M. J. Holden, Estate of Emily A. Spear (two dwellings), heirs of Dr. E. A. Allen, Estate of Johana King, C. A. and A. B. Wales, and Patrick O'Brien, half a mile away on Pleasant street. Visiting firemen were relieved from duty at about 5.30 A. M. They were served with refreshments and sent on their homeward bound journey with many thanks from the Randolph fire laddies and citizens generally. The value of all the twelve buildings endangered by the fire was about \$70,000. The value of contents was about \$35,000, making a total of \$105,000. The insurance on the above was about \$60,000. The damage or loss about \$47,000. These figures are a little misleading perhaps, as the eight dwellings whose roofs had slight fires on them were damaged about \$300.

April 19—On a still alarm firemen were called to the dwelling on Lafayette street, owned by Mrs. Ruth Green, and occupied by H. M. Clark; cause, burning soot in chimney.

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April 25—Chief Wales, with a few men, was called to woodland fire in rear of Central cemetery.

July 4—A small building was burned on Canton street by an incendiary, it is supposed; no alarm

July 8—Chief Wales, with a force of men, was called to woodland fire north of Pond street and east of North Main street.

Aug. 11—Alarm from Box 41, at 2.42 P. M., for fire in woodland near outbuildings of Christian Milanders on High street.

Aug. 14—Chief Wales was called to fire in woodland near Christian Milanders on High street. This proved to be a continuation of the fire of the 11th inst. which had been smoldering since that time down among the roots and stumps on account of the extreme draught.

Dec. 6—An alarm from Box 26, at 12.34 P. M., for burning soot in chimney of dwelling on South Main street, owned by Mrs. E. F. Knight, and occupied by Charles Madan; all out signal 12.45 P. M.

Dec. 26—Alarm from Box 61 at 2.37 A. M., for fire in green house on Lafayette street, owned and occupied by Marcus L. Tirrell; cause, overheated furnace; all out signal 3.03 A. M.

EXPENSES.

Paid 48 men \$12. each	\$576 00
48 men 541 1-2 hours at 50 cents	270 75

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48 men 167 hours at 25 cents	41 75
Sundry persons at woodland fires	64 09
Board of Engineers, fire service	59 29
Engineer and fireman of steamer	35 00
Estate of C. H. Nichols, hauling apparatus	400 00
Estate of C. H. Nichols, teams to wood fire	15 00
Estate of H. Nichols, teams, expressing, etc	34 20
J. E. Blanche, hauling chemical engine	98 00
J. E. Blanche, care of chemical, engine	64 00
James Riley, hauling Hose 2	24 00
F. J. Donahue, steward, repairing hose, etc	90 75
W. M. Howard, steward	20 75
R. J. McAuliffe, steward	11 75
William O'Halloran, steward	14 25
Alfred Abbott, superintendent fire alarm	50 00
George A. Roel., superintendent fire alarm	12 65
Estate Chas. Doughty, steam for whistle	50 00
Estate Chas. Doughty, electric light service	33 34
M. E. Leahy, coal	30 00
W. A. Croak, labor and material	16.50
A. J. Morse, expansion rings, etc.	10.40
Dennis E. Sullivan, refreshments for firemen	10 45
D. B. White, coal	46 00
Gameswell Fire Alarm Co., labor and supplies	
(1906)	71 97
Arthur W. Alden, janitor	3 00
M. K. Hill, printing time cards	10 00
C. Calahan Co., supplies	34 10
Holbrook Fire Dept., supplies	5 00

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Dugmore & Duncan, repairs of lock	2 00
C. A. Wales, cash paid shoveling snow, etc.	26 00
E. A. Perry, labor	50
Heirs, Ellen Grady, rent of land	15 00
Hartford Co., insurance and inspection	15 00
H. W. Pratt, insurance on apparatus, etc.	90 70
E. M. Mann, wood	8 00
James Fardy, labor and material	3 00
C. F. Lyons, supplies	4 72
Total expenses paid	\$2,365 91
Credits old copper sold	\$7 50
Amount of appropriation	\$2,261 00
	\$104 91

There are outstanding bills against the general expense account of about \$75.00.

There is also on hand about \$100.00 worth of material that can be used for repairs of the fire alarm lines when needed.

APPARATUS.

The apparatus so far as is known at present is in good condition, we purchased a coupling machine during the year which has been used to repair hose when they give out near the coupling on the hose, in fact, we can repair hose that bursts by cutting and attaching coupling which is a saving over the old method of sending them to be re-

paired, as a piece of hose can be repaired in a very short time and be ready for use, great credit is due steward F. J. Donahue for the success of this machine.

HOUSES.

The houses are in pretty good condition at present.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

The auxiliary to the Fire Department has received quite a shaking up during the year just closed. We were informed about two years ago, that the corporations that had set up poles in our streets for telegraph, telephones, light, and trolley car uses were setting up new poles and that we must move the fire alarm wires from the old to the new poles, the question at once arose as to who should pay the expense of this work, the town, or the corporations that set up the poles.

We have not been able to learn anything on this point, therefore we were obliged to have the wires moved to the top of the new poles for the good of the service, the work has been done and from Central Square to Warren street, the wire was changed from the west to the east side of the main street to get them out of the trees as much as possible.

Just before this work was begun, the alarm system was seriously injured by a severe electrical storm, the damage was immediately repaired, and about ten days later a

severe wind and rain storm caused damage again; repairs were again made, and still the work of the alarm system was not satisfactory, it was decided to call an expert to ascertain the trouble. The expert came, and you, gentlemen of the Board of Selectmen were invited to meet with us and hear his report, which you did. He stated that there was a "ground" somewhere, and in his opinion it was a ground of 500 volts, and that he believed it was caused by wires of the electric railroad company. If that is so, then the question arises can the town collect the amount of damage from the corporation.

There are outstanding bills on account of all this disturbance of about \$400.00; for supplies, about \$75.00; for new box 51, for which no appropriation was made, amount \$62.25. The town voted to place this box (51) on West street, and referred the matter to the Fire Engineers, and they placed the box at the junction of Cross and West streets.

We have examined the several bills of the Fire Alarm Co., for labor and material, and find the following: That the storm caused damage of about \$35.00; ground by Brockton St. R. R., about \$50.00; Norfolk and Bristol St. Railroad, about \$10.00; reconstruction of the alarm system, about \$270.00; the total of outstanding bills will be a little over \$500.00 on account of fire alarm.

We are of the opinion that the system is in as good condition, and perhaps better, as far as the running of wires are concerned, than when first set up, and hope that it may rendered good service in the future, barring the unseen power of wind and storm.

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We feel also that in the appointment of a citizen, and, resident of the town, superintendent of Fire Alarm, we can rest assured that the system will be cared for in a proper manner.

As will be seen in reading the expense account in this report that the appropriation for Fire Department wires has been exceeded by quite a large amount, at the same time we think the report will, and does show, the cause for this extra expense, and that cause was beyond the power of man to prevent; another reason being the fact that we were obliged to move the wires to the new poles, therefore we are obliged to ask of the town a special appropriation to cover this extra expense. We very much regret the extra cost of this past year, but if you will examine reports of past years, it will be seen that in many years there has been a balance in favor of the Department.

We therefore recommend the following:

For general expense	\$1,100 00
Pay of 48 men, \$12 each	576 00
Pay of 48 men, hour service, 50 cts.	\$275 00
Woodland fires	100 00
Engineer and firemen of steamer, \$20, \$15	35 00
Fire Alarm	175 00
	\$2,261 00

Special appropriation \$300, or \$500.

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. WALES,
D. J. BRENNAN,
J. E. BLANCHE,
M. F. SULLIVAN,
W. A. CROAK,

Engineers.

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

Water Commissioners

OF THE

Town of Randolph

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1907.

Report of Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The twenty-second annual report of the Water Commissioners is hereby submitted.

Orders were drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$8,965.19, not including the amount appropriated for the sinking fund, as follows:

For joint maintenance	2,324 07
Randolph maintenance	1,200 02
Interest on bonds	5,040 00
Construction, service pipe	93 54
Wales avenue, extension	307 56
	\$8,965 19

JOINT MAINTENANCE.

Paid Morton Holbrook, labor	\$22 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	7 69
James E. Blanche, teams	3 00
D. B. White, coal	274 31

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Boston Woven Hose Co.	15 92
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.	56 67
Thos. Duff, labor	4 00
Edson Manf'g Co.	5 55
Geo. F. Blake M'f'g Co.	43 80
Underhay Oil Co., oil	31 16
Henry Campbell, painting	24 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	22 19
James McGerigle, labor	1 00
Nicholas Linehan, labor	4 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	296 33
E. W. Campagna, stock and labor	7 47
	\$819 59

Mrs. Crowd, cleaning station	2 00
William Johnson, labor	20 00
James Fardy, blacksmithing	14 65
Duncan Henderson, blacksmithing	1 25
William McAdams, record book	9 50
Charles Lawless, labor	8 00
Estate of C. H. Nichols, express and teams	58 98
Wollaston Foundry Co.	35
Crosby Steam Gauge Co.	5 00
Walworth Manufacturing Co.	5 76
M. E. Leahy, coal	1,198 58
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	35 66
William Mahady, labor	7 00

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Augustus Forrest, labor	25 50
T. R. McLeod, labor	25 00
Patrick Jordan, labor	8 40
Patrick Tierney, labor	8 40
James Barry, labor	4 00
Eben Holbrook, labor	6 00
William L. Allen, painting	3 00
William H. Carroll, labor	10 50
John Carr, labor	5 10
Charles E. Lyons, mason work	10 00
Albert E. Perry, labor	2 00
Stuart Howland Co., lamps	5 35
Cornelius Good, labor	2 00
Timothy Lyons, teaming	3 00
Randolph Clothing Co., rubber boots	5 50
Eugene Thayer, supplies	6 48
C. D. Hill, supplies	5 82
William F. Barrett, expenses to Boston	1 70

\$2,324 07

Paid by Holbrook Water Department.

Paid E. J. T. Dexter, salary	\$867 24
E. J. T. Dexter, stable, heating and lighting fixtures	145 00
D. B. White, coal	337 22
W. H. Ward, engineer, salary	230 39
M. E. Leahy, coal	264 40
M. Murphy, teams	11 50
George T. Wilde, supplies	8 17
Frank G. Morse supplies	4 60

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C. H. McCarter, blacksmithing	3 75
Walworth Manufacturing Co., drill	3 92
Patrick Jordan, labor	3 50
M. Holbrook, labor	3 50
	\$1,883 19
Total paid on joint account	\$4,207 26
Received from Avon, for water	\$100 00
Received from Braintree, for one- third expense of mowing grass and erecting signs	50 00
	\$150 00
	4,057 26
One-half paid by each town	2,028 63
Paid by Bolbrook, sundry bills as above	1,883 19
Due from Holbrook balance joint account	145 44
	\$2,028 63

RANDOLPH MAINTENANCE.

Paid Morton Holbrook, labor	\$86 76
F. W. Hayden & Co.	24
Timothy Lyons, express	8 40
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	1 35
Herbert A. Howard, postage	15 35

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City of Brockton, repairing meters	14 25
Boston Safe Deposit, box rent	10 00
Thomas Duff, labor	75
Avon water works	35
Hersey Manufacturing Co., repair meter	82
Arthus W. Alden, care of room	6 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	17 46
Richard F. Forrest, labor	182 15
Somerville Savings Bank Inst.	120 00
National Meter Co., meters	161 97
Sumner & Gerald's	114 68
Estate of C. H. Nichols, use of horse	133 18
Chapman Valve Manufacturing Co.	6 90
M. K. Hill, printing	29 25
Union Meter Co., repair meter	3 60
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	45
Eugene Thayer, supplies	1 11
Joseph T. Leahy, cash paid	8 00
William F. Barrett, cash paid	2 00
Daniel B. White, services	150 00
William F. Barrett, services	125 00
	\$1,200 02

RANDOLPH CONSTRUCTION SERVICE PIPE.

Paid William F. Johnson, labor	\$3 00
John Carr, labor	9 00
Eben Holbrook, labor	10 00

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Union Meter Co., fixtures	41 30
Sumner & Goodwin, fixtures	17 25
Holbrook Water Works, pipe	6 19
Timothy Lyons, carting	6 80
	\$93 54

WALES AVENUE EXTENSION.

Paid James Barry, labor	\$11 00
Michael Good, labor	6 00
Thomas Duff, labor	7 00
Robert Hamilton, labor	7 00
Cornelius Good, labor	7 00
John B. McGrane, labor	7 00
John Carr, labor	7 00
Eben Holbrook, labor	7 00
C. D. Hill, lanterns and oil	28 28
Morton Holbrook, labor	34 00
William F. Barrett, attending court	23 50
R. F. Forrest, labor	162 78
	\$307 56

RECEIPTS.

For water fixed rates	\$5,424 71
Meter rates and rentals	2,695 49

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Pipe, labor and fixtures	232 38
Dynamite and caps	8 73
Junk sold	5 75
From Avon Water Department	100 00
From Braintree Water Department	50 00
	\$8,517 06
Less rebates	30 25
Paid treasurer	\$8,486 81
There is due the department from sundry persons as follows:	
For water rates fixed	\$390 00
Meter rates and rentals	866 57
Service pipe and labor	20 71
From Holbrook water department for balance of joint account	145 44
	\$1,428 72

The commissioners ask for an appropriation of \$2500 for the sinking fund.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WILLIAM F. BARRETT,
Water Commissioners.

Randolph, Mass., January 28, 1908.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water

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Commissioners and find them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company make the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 12th day of December, 1907, by Inspector E. Mason-Parry. One H. T. boiler No. 2:

Internally:—The inner surfaces of this boiler are clean and free from evidence of surface wasting. Bracing is sound and of good tension. Fusible plug is intact. Openings to connections are clear.

Externally:—Surfaces exposed to the action of the products of combustion are free from visible defects. Seams, flanges and tube ends show no sign of leakage or other weakness. Appliances are in good order. Pressure gauge is correct. Brickwork is in good condition.

To comply with the State law, it is required that 1-4" pipe connection be fitted whereby a test gauge can be applied during the time the boiler is in service, also that the fusible plug project not less than 1" through feed on

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inner side, the one in position at present projects 3-4".

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,

Manager.

Boston, Dec. 17, 1907.

Randolph & Holbrook Water Works, Randolph, Mass.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company make the following report of the condition of your steam boiler, inspected on the 9th day of January, 1908, by Inspector H. H. Bartlett. One H. T. boiler:

Internally:—The internal parts were practically clean. The bracing was sound and of good tension. The fusible plug was new and screwed into the head properly. The flanges and riveted sections were intact.

Externally:—The fire surfaces were free from any evidence of overheating. The seams and tube ends were tight. The appliances were in working order. The brick work was in good repair.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,

Manager.

Boston, Jan. 13, 1908.

Randolph & Holbrook Water Works, Randolph, Mass.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be

considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water :

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertaining the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine afore-

said paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises, and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

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7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after the same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic

purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or stand-pipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire, without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay all expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner. .

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses.

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00

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Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	\$5 00
One faucet for each family	6 00
For first bathtub	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional bathtub	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20 00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3 00

Boarding-Houses and Hotels.

First faucet	\$10 00
Each additional faucet	3 00
First bathtub	10 00
Each additional bathtub	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3 00

Private Stables.

First horse	5 00
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Each additional horse	3 00
Each cow or ox	1 00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables.

For the first four horses	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling-houses.

Building Purposes. Each cask of lime or cement	05
Hose.	

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1-4 inch nozzle, to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	\$5 00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading.

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gallons average per day per 1,000 gallons	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$8.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WM. E. BARRETT,
Water Commissioners.

TO THE WATER COMMISSIONERS
of the towns of
RANDOLPH AND HOLRBOOK

The following is the usual table:---

Date	Gallons Water Pumped	Daily Average Water Pumped	Coal Burned Pounds	Average lbs. Coal burned Daily
January	7,014,567	226,276	52,587	1,696
February	6,890,562	246,448	52,862	1,888
March	8,475,509	273,403	58,604	1,890
April	8,319,256	277,308	59,315	1,977
May	7,672,951	247,859	51,487	1,661
June	10,414,994	347,166	54,658	2,155
July	15,283,568	493,018	82,461	2,660
August	19,280,597	621,956	101,532	3,275
September	9,327,434	310,548	55,744	1,858

Above is report of late Engineer E. J. T. Dexter, to Oct. 1, 1907

October	8,846,418	285,368	56,604	1,826
November	7,758,282	258,609	52,011	1,733
December	9,857,771	317,992	59,747	1,926
Total	119,241,901	326,690	747,602	2,048

Increase on last year	8,230,290	49,946	75,190	206
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Largest day's pumping, Aug. 13, on account of both stand pipes getting low from leak on Union st. Holbrook, 1,034,775 gallons, time 12 hours 45 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ended Aug. 14, 1907, 5,338,999 gallons being pumped.

Respectfully Submitted.

W. H. WARD, Engineer.

Report of Treasurer

The features of greatest importance in the finances of our town for the year 1907, have been the purchase of a site for the new High School Building and the issue, in consequence, of twenty notes of \$1500 each, six of which have been sold during the past year; the issue of two notes of \$1000 each, for improvements at the North Grammar School, and the issue of thirty notes amounting to \$35,000 for the purpose of refunding certain demand notes which for many years have been a standing obligation of the town, some of which dated back to the year 1871.

Demand being made for the payment of a portion of these notes, relief was obtained by the issue of a series of notes extending over a period of thirty years, but we were obliged to provide for annual proportionate payments in extinguishment of the principal.

A material reduction in the amount received from the State Treasurer as compared with the amount anticipated, based upon the receipts of former years, added to our burden, and the increase in our town debt, shown in the tabulated report is thus accounted for.

The Water Department shows a decrease in debt, the

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amount of the decrease being in excess of that of former years.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

Receipts.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1906	\$686 34	
Received water rates, etc.	8,486 81	
Received interest on deposit	10 87	
Received from note (extension of water main on Wales avenue	700 00	
		\$9,884 02
Paid orders of Water Commissioners	\$3,925 19	
Paid coupons on Water Bonds	5,040 00	
		\$8,965 19
Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1807		\$918 83

FINANCIAL STATEMENT BY MONTHS.

Month.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balance.
December, 1906			\$686 34
January 1907	\$1,235 75	\$680 00	1,242 09
February, 1907	406 97		1,649 06
March, 1907	291 67	439 94	1,500 79
April, 1907	419 21	1,643 69	276 31

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May, 1907	93 07	240 00	129 38
June, 1907	245 98	279 41	95 95
July, 1907	2,455 99	994 61	1,557 33
Aug., 1907	597 43	1,005 21	1,149 55
Sept., 1907	306 96	243 70	1,212 81
Oct., 1907	600 00	1,160 00	652 81
Nov., 1907	60 75	336 46	377 10
Dec., 1907	2,483 90	1,942 17	918 83
Totals	\$9,197 68	\$8,965 19	\$918 83

Randolph, Mass., January 28, 1908.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners, and find the same correct and the balance, as stated above, to be on deposit in the National Shawmut Bank of Boston.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with Randolph
Water Loan Sinking Fund.

Receipts.

Balance December 31, 1906	\$4,147 55
Received Town appropriation	2,500 00

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Received for Town note	15,000 00
Received interest:	
On 22 town of Randolph Bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	880 00
On town of Randolph note, \$15,000, five months at 4 per cent.	250 00
On four Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each, one year at 4 per cent	80 00
On O. C. R. R. Bond, \$3000, one year at 4 per cent	120 00
On 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. Bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 6 per cent	180 00
On 7 Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. Bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 5 per cent	350 00
On 3 Fitchburg R. R. Bonds, \$1,000 each, one year, at 4 per cent	120 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Bonds, \$1,000 each one year at 4 per cent	80 00
On 1 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Bond, \$1,000 one year, at 4 per cent	40 00
On deposit at Savings Banks:	
Randolph	32 36
North Easton	35 48
Quincy	35 30
Abington	17 18
Brockton	12 81
City Trust Co., Boston	3 15
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	\$23,883 83

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Disbursement.

Paid Water Bonds	\$20,000 00
Deposited in Savings Banks	133 13
Balance, on deposit in City Trust Co., Boston	3,750 70
	\$23,883 83

Financial Exhibit of the Water Department, December 31,
1907.

Liabilities.

Water bonds outstanding:

Due April 1, 1912	\$20,000 00
December 31, 1912	700 00
May 1, 1917	40,000 00
May 1, 1918	20,000 00
July 1, 1922	25,000 00
Nov. 5, 1923	3,000 00
July 1, 1926	10,000 00
	\$118,700 00
Interest Dec. 31, 1907, estimated	1,320 00
	\$120,020 00

Assets.

Amount in Sinking fund	\$50,226 87
Cash in hands of Treasurer	918 83

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Accounts due and unpaid	1,428 72
	\$52,574 42
Net water debt, Dec. 31, 1907	67,445 58
Net water debt, Dec. 31, 1906	72,562 12
Decrease in Net Water debt in 1907	5,116 54
Decrease in Gross water debt	\$19,500 00

State of the Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund, December 31, 1907.

One Old Colony R. R. Bond	\$3,000 00
Twenty-two Randolph water bonds	22,000 00
Three Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds	3,000 00
Four Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each (Wales avenue extension)	2,000 00
Seven Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. bonds	7,000 00
Three Fitchburg R. R. bonds	3,000 00
Two Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds	2,000 00
One N. Y., N. H., & H. R. R. bond	1,000 00
On deposit in Abington Savings Bank	442 90
North Easton Savings Bank	914 02
Brockton Savings Bank	375 88
Quincy Savings Bank	909 54
Randolph Savings Bank	833 83
City Trust Company	3,750 70
	\$50,226 87

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Randolph, Mass., Jan. 28, 1908.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have examined the Sinking Fund, and find it to agree with the statements above made.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with the Town of
Randolph.

Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1906	\$381 55
Borrowed on town notes	89,000 00
Received taxes of 1903	170 52
Received taxes of 1904	1,700 00
Received taxes of 1905	5,500 00
Received taxes of 1906	6,900 00
Received taxes of 1907, Regular	27,500 00
Received taxes of 1907 Excise	1,307 90
Received from Selectmen for Sundry accounts	811 93
Received from State Treasurer:	
Balance Corporation tax, 1906	\$15 38
Inspector of animals	50 00
Corporation tax, 1907, in part	2,974 16
National bank tax, 1907	1,588 36
Military aid, 1906	126 00
State aid, 1906	4,099 50

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Burial indigent soldiers	105 00
Street railway tax	800 41
Burial paupers	15 00

\$9,773 81

Received from other towns, pauper account:

Duxbury	\$89 00
Brockton	78 00
Concord	355 62
Boston	66 00
Avon	142 00
Taunton	5 00
Holbrook	315 74
Abington	22 00

\$1,073 36

Received interest:

On deposits	\$66 08
On taxes	1,498 35
Premiums on notes	352 50

\$1,916 93

Received sundries:

Court fees, Quincy	\$3 49
Sale of ink	15
Refunded on account, C. H. Poole	4 29
Return premium on insurance	28 50
Received from O. C. St. Ry Co.	155 25

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Received from C. H. Deane, rent	50 00	
		\$241 68
Received for licenses:		
Two auctioneer licenses	\$4 00	
One pool license	2 00	
One bowling license	2 00	
		\$8 00
Received tuition from Boston	\$13 00	
Received tuition from State	119 00	
Received from sale of junk	1 20	
Received from sale of stoves	65 00	
Received from sale of old building	15 00	
Received from sale of old building	35 00	
Received on account, Supt. schools	500 00	
Received from dog licenses	493 77	
Received from interest on Coddington Fund	85 54	
Income on Mass. School Fund	847 49	\$2 175 00
		\$148,460 68
Paid orders of Selectmen	\$72,874 53	
Paid—		
Note No. 127, anticipation of taxes	10,000 00	
Note No. 128, anticipation of taxes	10,000 00	
Note No. 133, anticipation of taxes	3,000 00	
Note No. 134, anticipation of taxes	10,000 00	
Note No. 172, anticipation of taxes	5,000 00	

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Note Turner Library	5,000 00
Note Randolph Savings Bank	5,000 00
Note Randolph Savings Bank	10,000 00
Note water loan sinking fund	15,000 00
Water rates for tenement on Dr. Alden estate	9 00
Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1907	\$2,577 15
	\$148,460 68

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CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENT

MONTHS	RECEIPTS							EXPENDITURES			BALANCE
	Taxes	Select- men	Notes	Interest	Other Towns	State Treas.	All other	Orders	Notes	All of r	
Dec. 1906			\$ 3,000	2 47					\$ 1,098 64		\$ 381 55
Jan. 1907											2,285 38
February.	\$ 900 00				\$ 167 00		\$ 14 54		1,897 89		1,469 03
March.	1,300 00	75 00	10,000	7 81		\$ 15 38			4,158 49		8,708 73
April	1,000 00		25,000	5 82	421 62		1 55		7,849 85	20,000	7,287 87
May	2,200 00		35,000	359 06			4 00		4,352 65	35,000	5,498 28
June	800 00	100 00	5,000		142 00		13 00		5,037 91		6,515 37
July	2,300 00		9,000	53 20	5 00		94		12,630 60		5,243 91
August	1,500 00			8 07		50 00	619 00		3,297 00		4,123 98
September	5,970 52	288 58	2,000	149 18			172 00		6,980 07		5,724 19
October	20,400 00			500 00			11 35		6,253 55	10,000	10,381 99
November	2,500 00			19 29		9,708 43	10 00		2,580 71		20,039 00
December	4,207 90	348 35		812 03	337 74		1,578 30		16,737 17	8,000 9 00	2,577 15
Totals, 1907	\$43,078 42	811 93	\$89,000	\$ 1,916 93	\$ 1,073 36	\$ 9,773 81	\$ 2,424 68		\$72,874 53	\$73,000	\$ 2,577 15
Totals, 1906	43,670 47	749 76	42,000	1,122 29	646 21	10,809 84	2,200 35		63,046 71	40,000	381 55
Totals, 1905	44,631 05	885 71	40,000	2,185 72	1,388 14	10,045 39	2,284 44		61,330 76	40,300	2,229 34
Totals, 1904	43,181 92	719 59	40,000	1,229 73	1,191 53	10,445 75	3,100 56		63,045 57	38,000	2,439 65
Totals, 1903	45,616 50	500 81	38,000	2,508 33	1,948 19	11,361 76	3,403 98		59,392 10	42,480	3,616 14

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Statement showing provision for payment of town notes.

Year.	Highway Plant.	Prescott School	Allen St. and Highland Ave.	Liberty and Lafayette Sts.	Liberty North and Lafayette Sts.	North Gram-mar School.	Wales Ave.	Refunding Notes.	New High School.	Appropriation Necessary.
1908	\$500	\$1000	\$850	\$630	\$500			\$1500	\$1500	\$6489
1909			850	630	500			1500	1500	4980
1910				630	500			1500	1500	4130
1911						\$1000	\$500	1500	1500	4500
1912						1000	500	1500	1500	4500
1913							500	1500	1500	3500
1914							500	1500	*1500	3500
1915								1500	*1500	3000
1916								1500	*1500	3000
1917								1500	*1500	3000
1918								1000	*1500	2500
1919								1000	*1500	2500
1920								1000	*1500	2500
1921								1000	*1500	2500
1922								1000	*1500	2500
1923								1000	*1500	2500
1924								1000	*1500	2500

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1925		1000	*1500	2500
1926		1000	*1500	2500
1927		1000	*1500	2500
1928		1000		1000
1929		1000		1000
1930	.....	1000		1000
1931	.....	1000		1000
1932	.....	1000		1000
1933	.....	1000		1000
1934	.....	1000		1000
1935	.....	1000		1000
1936	.....	1000		1000
				\$ 75590
				1600
				25000
				\$102190

Coddington Fund—on demand

Anticipation of taxes

*When issued.

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FINANCIAL EXHIBIT DEC. 31, 1907.

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Treasury notes—

Coddington Fund	\$1,600 00
Highway plant, one note	500 00
Allen street and Highland avenue, two notes of \$850 each	1,700 00
Liberty, North and Lafayette streets three notes of \$500.00 each	1,500 00
Liberty and Lafayette streets, three notes of \$630 each	1,890 00
Wales avenue, four notes of \$500 each	2,000 00
Prescott school, one note	1,000 00
Anticipation of taxes, three notes	25,000 00
Refunding town debt, thirty notes	35,000 00
High school issue (in part) six notes	9,000 00
North Grammar School, two notes	2,000 00
	\$81,190 00

Fourteen High school notes amounting to \$21,000 are in the hands of the Treasurer, unsold.

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Unpaid taxes of 1904	\$441 95
Unpaid taxes of 1905	3,540 49
Unpaid taxes of 1906	9,106 90
Unpaid taxes of 1907	17,045 29

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Interest on taxes, estimated	1,352 00
State aid, 1907	3,856 00
Military aid, 1907	138 00
Burial indigent soldiers	249 00
Burial State pauper	15 00
Corporation tax (balance)	177 31
Due from Duxbury	71 50
Due from Brockton	81 50
Due from Quincy	47 00
Due from Concord	141 83
Due from Boston	7 50
Due from Avon	22 85
Cash on hand, Dec. 31, 1907	2,577 15 \$38,871 27
Net town debt, Dec. 31, 1907	\$42,318 73
Net town debt, Dec. 31, 1906	35,090 18
Increase of debt in 1907	\$7,228 55

In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund note of \$1,600, and also a deposit of \$300 in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of both of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

Randolph, Mass., January 28, 1908.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph.

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respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries made for all payments and receipts.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Record of Town Meetings 1907

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, March 4, 1907.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated February 18, 1907, duly served and returned by Michael F. Sullivan, Constable, the voters of the Town of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, on Monday, March 4, 1907.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the Town Clerk called the meeting to order, and having read the warrant and return, called for action under—

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Whole number ballots cast for Moderator, 128.

William J. Good received 47.

Fred M. French received 81.

Fred M. French was declared elected Moderator and immediately took charge of the meeting, the oath of office being administered by the Town Clerk.

Article 2. To choose all such town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes"

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or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such town officers as towns are by law authorized to choose at their annual meeting, viz.: a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, one Superintendent School Committee, three Auditors, seven Constables, three Fish Wardens, three Fence Viewers, one Trustee of Stetson School Fund, one Water Commissioner for three years, one Water Commissioner for one year to fill vacancy a moderator, a Tree Warden and a Collector of Taxes; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?" That the polls shall be kept open until sunset, that Articles 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Monday, March 18, 1907, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The Moderator appointed the following committee:

John V. Beal,

Daniel J. Brennan,

Augustus L. Chase,

Rufus A. Thayer,

James E. Blanche,

James Fardy,

Frank C. Granger.

The following named persons served as election officers:

Ballot Clerks: Thomas L. Stetson and Joseph W. Mahoney.

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Deputy Ballot Clerks: Thomas F. McGrath and Samuel A. Foster.

At check list: A. Howard Holbrook and Michael E. Clark.

At gates: Edward F. Murphy and Peter J. McGrath.

Officer outside hall: John F. Gill.

Tellers: Frank H. Jaquith, Frank H. Tileston, George A. Roel, J. Henry Dunphy, Frank M. Condon, J. Joseph Hurley, Peter Quinn, Charles E. McMahon, Nelson Mann, Jeremiah J. Donovan, Joseph D. Wales, M. Norton Hunt.

During the time set for balloting the ballot box was opened three times, viz.:

At 10.30 A. M., when 515 ballots had been cast.

At 3.05 P. M., when 718 ballots had been cast.

At 4.10 P. M., when 726 ballots had been cast.

At 5.37 P. M. the polls were declared closed.

During the canvass of the vote the following articles were disposed of, viz.:

Article 3. To choose all such Town Officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

The following named persons were elected to fill the office set against their respective names, viz.:

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK.

*Charles H. Cole,
Charles D. Hill,
Eugene Thayer,

Joseph T. Leahy,
Daniel B. White,
Michael E. Leahy.

POUND-KEEPER.

Michael M. Sullivan.

*Oath of office taken.

FIELD DRIVERS.

*Daniel W. Barry.

Daniel P. Toomey,
P. Joseph Riley,

John A. Hoye,
*Arthur D. Bradley.

Article 14. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, and fix the sum he is authorized to borrow.

Voted, unanimously, that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Randolph, in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, to borrow, from time to time, a sum or sums in the aggregate amounting to not more than forty thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town therefor, payable within one year from the time the loan is made, and at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum; all debts incurred under this vote for the town shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 21. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue notes of the town to replace those now outstanding, the same to be re-

funded upon such terms as they deem most favorable to the town.

Voted, unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money to replace, renew or refund any or all notes of the town now outstanding that may be now due or on demand or that may become due during the present year.

Article 24. To see if the town will accept the list of jurors as prepared by the Selectmen and published in the Town Report as required by law.

The following is the list of jurors accepted:

Anderson, Charles E.	Good, William
Barrett, Wm. F.	Holbrook, Arthur H.
Belcher, Edward K.	Hoye, John A.
Buck, N. Everett	Hayden, I. Willis
Burrill, Minot A.	Hagar, Clarence L.
Bradley, Henry J.	Jones, Herbert A.
Beal, Ira E.	Jones, James M.
Cole, Charles H.	Knight, Ernest
Casey Peter	Long, James F.
Clark, S. Melvin,	Leavitt, Wm. H.
Clark, Dexter T.	Lewis, Wellington
Clark, Walter S.	Mann, Edwin M.
Dyer, James M.	Mahady, William
Dowd, James	Mann, Rufus E.
Desmond, John	Murphy, Edward F.
Daly, Michael J.	Niles, Isaac
Eddy, Cyrus M.	Pope, David
Eddy, George H.	Quinn, Peter

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French, Fred M.	Reynolds, George A.
French, Walter	Riley, Francis
Faunce, Hiram S.	Roel, George A.
Foster, Samuel A.	Stetson, Francis E.
Friar, Adolphus S.	Stetson, Thomas L.
Grover, Frank R.	Willard, John K.

Article 25. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be in any manner interested, as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Selectmen be so authorized. .

Article 26. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested, as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the waters of Great Pond, or in the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

The ballots having been counted, declaration of the result was made as follows:

Whole number ballots cast,

774

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FOR MODERATOR.

(1 Year.)

**Fred M. French,	396
William J. Good,	236
Blanks,	142

FOR TOWN CLERK.

(1 Year.)

**Joseph T. Leahy,	629
Blanks,	145

FOR TOWN TREASURER.

(1 Year.)

**Joseph T. Leahy,	556
Blanks,	218

FOR SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS
OF POOR.

(1 Year.)

James E. Foley,	306
Edwin M. Mann,	179
John E. McDonald,	351
Scattering,	1
**Patrick H. McLaughlin,	356
**Otis L. Soule,	418
**Charles H. Thayer,	396
Blanks,	315

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FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

(3 Years.)

**Redmond P. Barrett,	564
Blanks,	210

FOR TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND.

(3 Years.)

**Redmond P. Barrett,	492
Blanks,	282

*Elected. **Oath of office taken.

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(3 Years.)

Michael F. Sullivan,	327
**Daniel B. White,	367
Blanks,	80

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

(1 Year, to Fill Vacancy.)

Frank W. Belcher,	328
**Thomas J. Kiernan,	358
Blanks,	88

FOR AUDITORS.

(1 Year.)

**Michael F. Cunningham,	456
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William H. Leavitt,	309
Albert C. Wilde,	271
**John K. Willard,	387
**John B. Wren,	346
Blanks,	553

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

**Arthur W. Alden,	397
•Blanks,	377

FOR CONSTABLE.

**Frank J. Donahoe,	518
Thomas Farrell,	376
**James Foley,	381
**Joseph H. Foster,	403
**John Haney,	502
**Frank W. Harris,	492
Edwin F. Knight,	352
**P. Joseph Riley,	444
**Michael F. Sullivan,	454
Blanks,	1,495

FOR FENCE VIEWERS.

**Charles H. Cole,	293
Henry H. Hursell,	146
William Mahady,	266
Edwin M. Mann,	234
**Royal T. Mann,	279

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**James Riley,	311
Blanks,	793

FOR FISH WARDENS.

*Charles E. Kelliher,	437
*William R. Roberts,	414
*George F. Taylor,	424
Scattering,	2
Blanks,	1,044

FOR TREE WARDEN.

William Mahady,	283
**Royal T. Mann,	356
Blanks,	135

SHALL LICENSES FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS BE GRANTED IN THIS TOWN?

Yes,	300
No,	402
Blanks,	72

Voted to adjourn to March 18, 1907.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

ADJOUR'NED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, March 18, 1907.

The annual town meeting, adjourned from March 4, 1907,

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to this date, was called to order at 7.30 P. M. by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

The Committee on Appropriations submitted a printed report of their recommendations, a copy of which was presented each voter.

Voted, unanimously that the report of the Committee on Appropriations be accepted.

Article 4. To hear the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

Voted, that the reports of said officers for the year ending Dec. 31, 1906, be accepted.

Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$13,500.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

For teaching,	\$7,800 00
Care of rooms,	625 00
Fuel,	600 00
Books and supplies,	1,100 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs,	1,250 00
Conveyance of pupils,	325 00
Superintendent of Schools,	600 00
Stetson Hugh School,	2,500 00

It is also voted that the Town authorize the School

Committee to receive compensation for their servives to an amount not exceeding	300 00
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\$15,100 00

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Less the following estimates:

Revenue from Dog Tax, State School

Fund and Coddington Fund,	\$1,100 00	
State for Superintendent of Schools,	300 00	
State for salary of teachers,	200 00	
		1,600 00
Total,		\$13,500 00

It is also voted that the Treasurer, with approval of the Selectmen, be authorized and directed to borrow upon notes of the town of Randolph, such sums of money not exceeding three thousand dollars as may be required to pay the expenses incurred for the support of schools, including Stetson High School from January 1, 1908, to March 1, 1908, and that said notes thus issued shall be a part of and be paid from the money raised and appropriated for the support of schools for the year 1908.

Article 6. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to install a new heating plant and make necessary repairs in the Turner Free Library as petitioned for by the Trustees.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 7. To see if the town will select a site for a new High School building and raise and appropriate money for the purchase of such site and for the erection of a school building thereon, and determine the manner of raising the money.

Voted, that the Committee on High School be requested to

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make their report at this time. The Chairman of the Committee stated, in substance, that two new sites had become available; one, the late E. Fanny Belcher homestead, on the corner of Main and West streets; and the other, the Great Pasture Lot, so-called, in the rear of east side of North Main street, nearly opposite the homestead named above.

The Dr. Alden homestead was declared to be still the choice of the Committee.

Voted, that the question be divided, the matter of appropriation being taken up first.

Voted, yea 248, nay 3, that a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be raised and appropriated for the building of a high school house and the purchase of land and equipments therefor, and that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to borrow the money necessary therefor at a rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum, and that the town treasury notes approved by a majority of the Selectmen be issued therefor in such a manner that \$2,000 of the amount so borrowed shall become due and payable in six years from the date of borrowing and \$2,000 each year thereafter until the entire amount of \$30,000 shall become due and paid.

Voted, that we now proceed to ballot upon the location of the new high school building, the location receiving the highest number of ballots to be declared the choice of the town and that the check list shall be used in balloting.

The following is the result of the ballot:

The late Seth Mann 2d lot on North Main street,	I
The late H. B. Alden lot on North Main street,	6

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The Clark, Gove and Shaw lots on South Main and Union streets,	7
The old No. 8 schoolhouse lot on School street,	11
The late John Kelly lot on West street,	35
The late E. Fanny Belcher homestead on Main and West streets,	54
The late Dr. E. Alden homestead on So. Main street,	171
Total,	285

The latter site was declared to be the choice of the meeting.

Voted, that the present Committee on High School be authorized in behalf of the town to purchase the Dr. Alden site for the new High School building at a price not to exceed \$8,000, and to erect, equip and furnish a building thereon for a High School.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to erect sanitary closets in the North Grammar School building, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of the same as recommended by the School Committee.

Voted, unanimously, that the sum of \$2,000 be raised and appropriated to provide for a steam heating plant and sanitary closets for the North Grammar School, and that the Treasurer be authorized and directed to borrow the money for the payment of the same at a rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum, and that the town treasury note or notes, approved by the Selectmen, be issued therefor in such manner that \$1,000 of the amount so borrowed shall become due and payable in four years and the remaining \$1,000 in five years from the date of borrowing.

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Article 9. To see what action the town will take in relation to Stetson High School and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that action under this article be dismissed because otherwise provided for.

Article 10. To raise money to defray the general town expenses for the current year and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$17,222.35 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses,	\$1,800 00
Poor in Almshouse,	1,800 00
Poor out of Almshouse,	2,800 00
Soldiers' Relief,	400 00
Soldiers' Relief, in Randolph and Holbrook,	400 00
Military aid,	125 00
Town officers,	2,200 00
Board of Health,	200 00
Interest on Town debt,	2,500 00
Lockup expenses,	200 00
Expenses of Tree Warden,	300 00
Births, marriages, deaths and court fees,	250 00
Overdraft of 1906,	697 35
Unpaid bills,	70 00
Town note, vote of 1898 (highway plant)	500 00
Town note, vote of 1899,	850 00
Town note, vote of 1900,	630 00
Town note, vote of 1901,	500 00
Town note, vote of 1906,	1,000 00
Total,	\$17,222 35

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Also, that the interest on the taxes and deposits during the year 1907 be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the town debt. Also that the overlay tax of the current year be appropriated towards meeting any abatement of taxes which may be allowed.

Article 11. To raise money for the repair of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways, including paving and sidewalks, and in addition thereto, the street railway tax and excise tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 12. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,300 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, exclusive of the amount which may be raised under Articles 30 and 33. And that the Selectmen be instructed to make a reduction from this sum for all lights out of repair which are not burning, such reduction to be in proportion to the cost of the light.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1907-1908, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1907-1908, and that the sum of \$120 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 15. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted, that three-fourths of one per cent. be allowed for the

collection of taxes.

Article 16. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$350 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for attendance upon all persons under the care of the Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the town of Randolph, for one year from January 1, 1907. That is to say, each physician resident in the town on the first of March, 1907, shall receive the sum of \$50 for his services provided he makes 34 visits during the year; after that he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of this town's poor within its limits as may call upon him for his services; those physicians who make less than 34 visits shall receive pay at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents for each of said visits.

Article 17. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers to enforce the laws, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officers.

Voted, that the town instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers, or direct officers elected by the town, to enforce all the laws of the Commonwealth, and that the sum of \$1,200 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 18. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the Sinking Fund, as required by law, to meet the payments of the Randolph Water Loan.

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Voted, that the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan" when due.

Article 19. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,261.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses,	\$1,100 00
Pay of 48 men, \$12 each,	576 00
Pay of 48 men, hour service,	275 00
For fires in woodland,	100 00
Engineer of steamer,	20 00
Firemen of steamer,	15 00
Fire alarms,	175 00
Total,	\$2,261 00

Article 20. To see if the town will make an appropriation for the Decoration of Soldiers' Graves, under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Voted, that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 22. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1907.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 23. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may

use when acting as Collector.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Voted, that each person employed by the town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and that the laborers residing in town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote to make repairs on the Almshouse and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$600 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 29. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the sprinkling of streets.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for watering streets.

Article 30. To see if the town will vote to place two electric lights on Depot street, as petitioned for by William R. Mullen and others, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the town pay the expense of two incandescent lights on Depot street, exclusive of any cost of equipment and that the sum of \$27 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 31. To see if the town will vote to place a fire alarm box on West street at the corner of Silver street, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the subject matter of this article be committed to the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department, and that a fire alarm box be placed at or near the corner of West and

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Silver streets, provided the same can be done out of the money raised and appropriated for the Fire Department for the year 1907.

Article 32. To see what action the town will take in relation to the gift to the town of the "Great Pasture Lot," so called, by the late E. Fanny Belcher.

Voted, that the town gratefully accept the devise of the 'Great Pasture Lot,' (so called,) from the donor, the late E. Fanny Belcher, in accordance with the terms of her will, and that the Town Clerk be directed to notify the executrix of said will of this acceptance and the vote thereon.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on Chestnut street as petitioned for by Albert D. Swan and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the town pay the expense of eight incandescent lights on Chestnut street, exclusive of any cost of equipment, and that the sum of \$108 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 34. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

No committee reported.

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO BE RAISED BY TAX- ATION THE PRESENT YEAR, AS FOLLOWS:

For support of schools under Art. 5,	\$13,500 00
For heating plant Turner Free Library, Art. 6,	500 00
For general town expense, Art. 10,	17,222 35
For highways, Art. 11,	3,500 00

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For street lighting by electricity, Art. 12,	3,300 00
For insurance on Town Treasurer's bond, Art. 13,	120 00
For medical attendance on the poor, Art. 16,	350 00
For enforcement of laws, Art. 17,	1,200 00
For contribution to Sinking Fund, Art. 18,	2,500 00
For Fire Department, Art. 19,	2,261 00
For Grand Army Post No. 110, Art. 20,	150 00
For repairs on Almshouse, Art. 28,	600 00
For sprinkling streets, Art. 29,	500 00
For electric lights on Depot street, Art. 30,	27 00
For electric lights on Chestnut street, Art. 33,	108 00

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State tax,	\$2,800 00
State highway tax,	21 85
County tax,	1,634 84

Total, \$50,295 04

Voted, unanimously, that the Moderator receive the sum of \$25 for his services.

Mr. French, having thanked the meeting, directed the Treasurer to pay that amount to Post 110, G. A. R., for its monument fund.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

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TOWN MEETING WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 'Norfolk, ss..

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote on town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of May, instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 360 of the Acts of 1907, entitled "An act to authorize the town of Randolph to incur indebtedness for the purpose of renewing certain notes."

Article 2. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to issue notes of the town to replace, renew, or refund four demand notes now outstanding, mentioned in Chapter 360 of the Acts of 1907, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars; to provide for the payment of the same in accordance with the terms of said act, and to take any other action necessary to comply with the conditions thereof.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

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and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this sixth day of May, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, May 15, 1907.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on May 15, 1907.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read. A full explanation of the causes leading up to the necessity of Chapter 360, Acts of 1907, was given by the Treasurer, after which the following action was taken:

Article 1. Voted, unanimously, that the town accept Chapter 360, of the Acts of the Legislature in the year 1907, entitled "An act to authorize the Town of Randolph to incur indebtedness for the purpose of renewing certain notes."

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Article 2. Voted, unanimously, that in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 360, of the Acts of 1907, and for the purpose specified therein, the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, to issue thirty notes of the town, in the aggregate amounting to thirty-five thousand dollars, all bearing the same date of issue and bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four and one-half per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually; that said notes shall be numbered serially from 1 to 30, inclusive; that each of the notes numbered 1 to 10, inclusive, shall be of the denomination of \$1,500 each, and each of the notes numbered 11 to 30, inclusive, shall be of the denomination of 1,000; that the notes shall be paid in the order of their respective serial numbers, so that the first note of the series shall become due and payable in one year from the date of issue, and one of the remaining notes in its consecutive order shall become due and payable in each successive year thereafter until the entire issue of thirty notes shall have become due and paid.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you

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are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the fifteenth day of July, instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will amplify its vote passed March 18, 1907, under Article 7 of the warrant, authorizing the issue of fifteen serial notes of (the denomination of) \$2,000 each so as to authorize in lieu thereof twenty annual payments of \$1,500 each in accordance with the provisions of the Revised Laws.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, the sixth day of July, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, July 15, 1907.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, July 15, 1907.

In the absence of the Moderator, owing to illness, the Town Clerk called the meeting to order, and the warrant and return was read.

Daniel J. Brennan was elected Moderator pro tem.

Article 1. Voted, unanimously, that the town amplify and amend its vote passed March 18, 1907, under Article 7 of the warrant so as to read as follows:

Voted, that a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be raised and appropriated for the building of a high school house and the purchase of land and equipment therefor, and that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to borrow the money necessary therefor at a rate not exceeding five per cent. per annum, and that the town treasury notes approved by a majority of the Selectmen be issued therefor in such a manner that \$1,500 of the amount so borrowed shall become due and payable in one year from the date of borrowing, and \$1,500 each year thereafter until the entire amount of \$30,000 shall have become due and paid, it being the intention of this vote to ratify and confirm the vote passed March 18, 1907, under Article 7 of the warrant in all respects not inconsistent herewith.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

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TOWN MEETING WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Saturday, the thirty-first day of August, instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept the street laid out between North Main street and Cross street, and known as Wales avenue, as recommended by the Selectmen in accordance with their report and plan on file in the Town Clerk's office.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to sell a portion of the land comprising the "Dr. Alden Homestead," recently purchased by it.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your

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doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twenty-second day of August, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, Aug. 31, 1907.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Aug. 31, 1907.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read.

Article 1. Voted unanimously, that the Town accept and adopt the report of the Selectmen recommending the lay out of a street between North Main street and Cross street, known as Wales avenue, in accordance with their report and plan thereof, and that said street be constructed and opened as a public street.

Article 2. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

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TOWN MEETING WARRANT!

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in Said Town, on Friday, the eleventh day of October next, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the Town will instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on Wales avenue to Cross street, and make provision for the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this thirtieth day of September, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

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Randolph, Oct. 11, 1907.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Oct. 11, 1907.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read.

Article 1. Voted unanimously, that the Board of Water Commissioners be and they hereby are authorized and directed to extend the water main from its present terminus on Wales avenue to Cross street, and that the expense thereof be defrayed from the proceeds of a note or notes of the Town in the manner authorized by Chapter 267 of the Acts of 1903, the amount of said note or notes so issued not to exceed in the aggregate two thousand dollars.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph.

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the

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Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in State elections, to assemble in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, the fifth day of November next, at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in to the Selectmen, on one ballot, their votes for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor for District No. 2, Senator for the First Norfolk District, Representative in the General Court for the Ninth Norfolk District; County Commissioner, two Associate Commissioners, District-Attorney for the South Eastern District; Sheriff; also to vote "Yes" or "No" on the acceptance of Chapter 123 of the Acts of the Year 1907, being an article of amendment to the Constitution.

The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5:45 o'clock A. M., and will remain open until 2 o'clock, and such longer time as the voters may determine.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said Town, seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published in said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Selectmen on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this twenty-first day of October, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and seven.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

STATE ELECTION.

Randolph, November 5, 1907.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, November 5, 1907.

The warrant and return were read by Patrick H. McLaughlin, chairman of the Selectmen, and promptly at 5:45 o'clock A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The Town Clerk administered the oath of office to the following named election officers appointed by the Selectmen:

William A. Croak and Samuel A. Foster, deputy ballot clerks.

Edward Flaherty and Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerks.

Peter J. McGrath and J. Joseph Hurley, in charge of gates

John F. Gill, officer outside hall.

Nelson Mann, John H. Pero, William F. Barrett, James J. Shea, Frank H. Jaquith, Frank H. Tileston, James E. Foley, Peter Quinn, tellers.

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Voted, that the polls be kept open until sunset.

The result of the ballot follows:

Whole number ballots,	651
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FOR GOVERNOR.

Bartlett,	17
Brennan	4
Brown,	23
Cowell,	3

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Guild,	255
Hisgen,	195
Whitney (Dem.),	114
Whitney (Ind.),	3
Whitney (Nom. Papers),	9
Whitney,	1
Blanks,	27

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Brown,	233
Cahill,	13
Draper,	216
Hoar,	8
Lawrance,	13
Lewis,	4
Schofield,	122
Blanks,	42

FOR SECRETARY.

Bingham,	2
Charest,	158
Hall,	23
Olin,	249
Reimer,	4
Ring,	121
Blanks,	94

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FOR TREASURER.

Barnes,	5
Cantwell,	91
Chapin,	221
Connery,	28
Doherty,	164
Hitchcock,	32
Kendall,	4
Blanks,	106

FOR AUDITOR.

Claudino,	3
Conry,	165
Finnerty,	116
Hall,	19
Pease,	5
Turner,	230
Blanks,	113

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Coffin,	4
Malone,	221
McCarthy,	41
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McConnell,	174
Osgood,	93
Pratt,	19
Smith,	2
Blanks,	97

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FOR COUNCILLOR.

Bemis,	222
Bunton,	168
Fisher,	6
Kidder,	108
Newcomb,	24
Blanks,	123

FOR SENATOR.

Gallagher,	31
Jenney,	240
Sullivan,	278
Blanks,	102

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL COURT.

Fuller,	236
Toomey,	386
Vaughn,	3
Blanks,	26

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Hess,	57
McCarthy,	257
Stone,	233
Blanks,	104

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FOR ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS.

Everett,	238
Gunderson,	113
Whittaker,	216
Scattering,	1
Blanks,	734

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Grover,	419
Blanks,	232

FOR SHERIFF.

Brault,	72
Capen,	426
Blanks,	153

VOTE ON AMENDMENT.

Yes,	286
No,	82
Blanks,	283

The ballots, unused ballots and check lists were sealed up in open town meeting, returns were made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Clerk of Courts, after which it was

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS.

Stoughton, November 15, 1907.

We, the undersigned, Town Clerks of Stoughton, Sharon and Randolph, comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the fifth day of November, 1907, to vote for one Representative, the following votes were given, viz.:

	R.	Sh.	St.	Total
Edward J. Fuller of Sharon	236	322	497	1055
William H. Toomey of Stoughton	386	43	560	989
Otis S. Vaughn of Randolph	3	0	6	9
Blanks	26	12	31	69
Total of each town and the district	651	377	1094	2122

Edward J. Fuller was declared elected and certificates were signed to that effect.

GEO. H. WHITTEMORE, Town Clerk of Sharon.

GEO. O. WENTWORTH, Town Clerk of Stoughton.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk of Randolph.

to replace, renew, or refun four demand notes now outstand-
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(about 11,500.)

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Table of Vital Statistics

OF THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH FOR THE YEAR 1907.

The number of intentions of marriage, marriages, births and deaths recorded during the year 1907 was as follows:

Months 1906	Intentions of Marriage.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths
1906			2	..
January 1907	2	1		8
February	2	6	7	4
March	0	1	5	14
April	2	3	3	4
May	1	0	7	7
June	9	10	6	5
July	2	3	7	2
August	2	1	7	9
September	5	4	5	9
October	6	9	6	9
November	7	9	4	10
December	0	0	5	6
Totals	38	47	68	87

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Whole number of births recorded		68
Males	36	
Females	32	68
Parents, both native born	35	68
both foreign born	12	
one native, one foreign	21	68
Whole number of deaths		87
Males	39	
Females	48	87
Under five years of age	10	
Between 5 and 10 years.....	1	
10 and 20 years.....	5	
20 and 30 years.....	4	
30 and 40 years.....	3	
40 and 50 years.....	4	
50 and 60 years.....	6	
60 and 70 years.....	27	
70 and 80 years.....	17	
80 and 90 years.....	8	
Oyer 90 years	2	87
Whole number of intention of marriage.....		38
Whole number of marriages		47
Couples both native born	32	
both foreign born	3	
one foreign, one native	12	47

Marriages

REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1907.

<i>Date.</i>	<i>Names.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>	<i>Age.</i>
Jan. 12	Elmer H. Lothrop	Randolph	40
	Jennie F. Macomber	Randolph	43
	Bump—Shedd		
Feb. 4	Ernest Knight	Randolph	26
	Bertha G. Gibbs	Bourne	22
6	Ernest H. Payne	Randolph	23
	Cora E. Taber	Randolph	21
6	John P. Haney	Randolph	26
	Margaret A. Sullivan	East Weymouth	25
9	Ralph Harte Whitman	Marlborough	23
	Bessie Mildred Boudreau	Marlborough	22
9	Harry Winslow Bump	Randolph	21
	Jennie Bowers	Boston	28
	Daniels		
14	Wallace Monk Beals	Avon	25
	Bertha Maud Wentworth	Randolph	25
March 21	Joseph William Powdrel	Randolph	21
	Alicia Marguerite Rowe	Randolph	18
April. 2	Ernest Storlazzi	Brockton	22
	Mary K. Burke	Brockton	18

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25	Charles Edwin Tripp	Brockton	61
	Edith Anna Shedd	Randolph	27
29	Bert C. Johnson	Randolph	20
	Ethel E. G. Strathdee	So. Braintree	20
June. 11	Frederick E. Lincoln	Hingham	25
	Mary F. Hayden	Randolph	27
12	Benjamin P. Crowell	Woburn	29
	Gertrude D. Hursell	Randolph	26
17	Joseph H. Kernan	Brockton	32
	Bertha M. Payne	Randolph	23
18	Carl B. Merrill	Avon	23
	Mildred L. Wales	Randolph	23
19	William Graham	Randolph	31
	Sarah Ann Colvin	Randolph	26
22	Albin E. Nelson	Randolph	29
	Selma Johnson	Randolph	32
25	Jerome C. Hogan	Randolph	22
	Agnes M. Lynch	Avon	23
25	Arnold Thayer	Randolph	28
	Alice Ruth Kingsbery	Randolph	27
26	Herbert E. Saunders	Randolph	22
	Kathryn L. Reardon	Holbrook	22
29	Warren Basil Galloud	Middleboro	26
	Grace Chester Reed	Lakeville	25
July. 3	George F. Kiley	Randolph	25
	Bertha M. Sherman	Dighton	22

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	3	William J. McLaughlin	Randolph	24
		Annie Louise Shea	Randolph	25
	22	Richmond E. Waterman	Brockton	20
		Belva W. Stetson	Randolph	18
Aug	21	Ira J. Hamilton	Randolph	28
		Annie J. Ainslie	Randolph	23
Sept.	7	Herbert C. Fowler	Randolph	31
		Ellen M. Knight	Randolph	39
		—Penniman		
	17	Frank W. Vye	Randolph	26
		Amy Elizabeth Tucker	Randolph	29
	18	James Francis Clark	Randolph	23
		Agnes Augusta Rogers	Brockton	21
	24	Asa T. Cushman	Brockton	24
		Emma C. Jones	Randolph	26
Oct.	2	Charles R. Powers, Jr	Randolph	25
		Etta B. Randall	Canton	18
	3	Archie Butler Orrall	Lakeville	21
		Kathryn Genevieve Sutton	Lakeville	20
	3	Wilfred Hurley	Brockton	21
		Josephine Clara Holloway	Randolph	22
	7	John William Walford	Randolph	21
		Fannie Mæ Simmons	Randolph	20
	12	George T. Sprague	So. Braintree	25
		Frances L. Allen	Randolph	23

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19	Harold F. Howard	Randolph	27
	Mollie Forbes Kingsbery	Randolph	25
22	Herbert F. Langley	Randolph	25
	Ad line S. Merrill	Canton	24
30	Bartholomew O'Keere	Randolph	48
	Isabel McGrath	Brookline	41
31	Edward Joseph Smith	Randolph	32
	Alice Marie Dunn	Randolph	25
Nov. 20	Lyman Roy Sears	Brockton	24
	Augusta B. Mahady	Randolph	23
20	John F. Mullen	East Boston	25
	Mary F. Deare	Randolph	23
27	Gordon Robert Teed	Randolph	23
	Ethel Laura Finley	Randolph	21
27	Thomas F. Kiernan	Randolph	36
	Elizabeth Agnes Burns	Randolph	33
27	Peter Mason Gibson	Randolph	30
	Ellen Martha Taylor	Randolph	26
27	William P. Sullivan	Randolph	28
	Elizabeth M. Lyons	Holbrook	27
27	Herbert May Weeks	Randolph	25
	Hannah Agnes Rooney	Randolph	20
28	Arthur V. Merritt	Marlborough	23
	Adelaide G. Noble	Marlborough	24
29	John J. Dunn	Randolph	27
	Sadie McArthur	Brockton	21

BIRTHS

REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1907.

<i>Date.</i>	<i>Name of Child.</i>	<i>Sex.</i>	<i>Names of Parents.</i>
Oct. 1906.	20 Albert Murphy	M	Edward F. and Rose G.—Donahue
Dec.	3 Robert Elphie Powdrell	M	Fred A. and Ethel S.—Stearne
Jan. 1907.	10 Olga Alice Endaco	F	Anthony W. and Eva Milet
	17 William B. Mahan	M	James M. and Bridget A.—Green
	20	M	
	21 Roland W. Stetson	M	Edwin M. and Gertrude E.—Billingham
Feb.	1 Jennie Nardelli	F	Salvatore and Annie—Deboyer
	2 Hattie E. Roel	F	Edson N. and Hattie E.—Saunders
	5 Kathryn Dolan	F	Thomas F. and Catherine J.—Pope
	25 Agnes B. Crowley	F	John J. and Hannah B.—Scanlon
	25 Jesse Nelson Cox	M	Ernest I. and Jessie L.—Mosher
	26 Charles E. Clark	M	John E. and Katharine F. Toomey
	28 Margaret E. Carroll	F	William H. and Mary A.—O'Connor
Mar.	2 Ethel A. Fisher	F	Albert E. and Amy C.—Johnson
	5 Helen May Hewins	F	Andrew F. and Mabel G.—Hayden
	7 John S. Lunt	M	John and Emily G.—Hawkins
	17 Francis Kane Dillon	M	John P. and Mary A.—Kane
	28 Margaret McCarthy	F	Henry F. and Bridget L.—Donahue
April	3 George H. Saunders	M	Charles H. and Eva B.—Payne
	9 James Riley	M	P. Joseph and Susie G.—Doherty

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May	16 Cyril Powderly	M	Edward A. and Sarah J.—McGaughey
	2 Dorothy T. Plummer	F	Arthur D. and Blanche M.—Lively
	3 Thomas Currie	M	Hugh and Margaret—Troy
	7 Barbara Belcher	F	Frank W. and Una C.—Cole
	7 Russell Wales Dixon	M	George H. and Florence L.—Baker.
	8 Irene E. Conlon	F	John J. and Annie E.—Ronan
	10 Yvette C. Gelinas	F	Alfred N. and Annie—Desaulnier
	19 Doris May Madan	F	Lorenzo J. and Ethel M.—Hardy
June.	1 Anna Doherty Clark	F	Patrick F. and Julia A.—Doherty
	7 William Howard Foley	M	Cornelius F. and Katherine E.—Mahoney
	8 Alice E. Dorey	F	Michael L. and Mary J.—Hanley
	18 Ralph E. Niles	M	Herbert B. and Lynda M.—Brown
	18 Arnold Leo Davis	M	Fred'k R. and Blanche V.—Gilmartin
	30 Benjamin Forrest Hogsett	M	James L. and Edith F.—Knight
July.	2 Isabel Eileen Boyde	F	George E. and Bertha E.—Hall
	3 Ruth Elmyra Foley	F	Howard F. and Myra W.—Pendergrass
	5 Madeline M. Shepard	F	H. Joseph and Bridget L.—Marshall
	8 Gardner W. Sloan	M	Walter H. and Ella E.—Holbrook
	13 Lillian M. Forrest	F	John A. and Mary E.—Hallahan
	14 Elizabeth E. McGerigle	F	Jas. W. and Kathrine A.—McClellan
	26 Warren M. M. Burrell	M	S. Alton and Flossie P.—Holbrook
Aug.	8 Robt. Christopher Stephens	M	Walter F. and Bessie H.—Farnham
	13 Florence Evelyn Driver	F	Thomas H. and Florence E.—Graven
	17 Edgar G. Breen	M	William J. and Mary—Walsh
	17 Stillborn	M	
	26 Earl Powdrell	M	Joseph W. and Alicia M.—Rowe

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Sept.	28 Floretta Lydia Sawyer	F	George F. and Flora M.—Holbrook
	31 Stillborn	M	
	4 Alice Marie Sullivan	F	Dennis E. and Bridget T.—Tobin
	7 Charles Holbrook	M	Lester M. and May A.—Stevens
	7 Carlton R. Francey	M	Caleb A. and May A.— Drake
	17 Elva M. Poole	F	Wesley C. and Elizabeth A.—Brady
	22 Russell G. Aveney	M	Henry F. and Thominie S.—Hansen
Oct.	2 Albert N. Rohlfis	M	August O. F. and Clara—Neumann
	5 Robert M. Sullivan	M	John M. and Katharine—Sullivan
	11 Charles Neilsen	M	Hans Christian and Mabel B.—Baillie
	25 Erna D. Beals	F	Wallace M. and Bertha M.—Wentworth
	27 James McLaughlin	M	William J. and Annie L.—Shea
	31 Viola N. Noel	F	Edgar M. and Josephine—Brunnerl
Nov.	3 Beale	M	Samuel G. and Emma L.—Petersen
	6 James W. Brennan	M	William P. and Mary A.—McCue
	15 Bertha Evelyn Hollis	F	Ismael B. and Lena—Sloan
	19 Helen Slattery	F	James and Ella—Moran
	2 Dorothy Brennan	F	Joseph R. and Susan C.—Soule
	2 Silvestro, Carmelio	M	Joseph and Maria—Valente
Dec.	8 Marion E. Evans	F	William N. and Julia E.—Ahier
	21 Ellbridge Haskell Marsh	M	Theodore B. and Celia H.—Lovejoy
	25 Emeline Marie McGerigle	F	John F. and Nellie F.—Printy

Deaths Registered in Randolph in 1907

Date	Name	Age			Cause of Death	Birthplace
		Y.	M.	D.		
1	Catherine McConaty	74	..	..	Arterial sclerosis	Ireland
11	John McVey	77	4	26	Apoplexy.	Cherryfield, Me.
26	Annie A. Clark	62	8	4	Heart disease	Avon
27	Mary E. Lane	51	..	..	Cerebral hemorrhage	Randolph
28	Arthur E. Mann	..	10	17	Broncho pneumonia	Randolph
29	Bridget Rooney	82	..	..	Senile bronchitis	Ireland
31	Mary O'Keefe	68	..	..	Septicaemia	Ireland
31	George Melvin Clark	65	2	20	Bronchitis	Randolph
Feb.						
5	Mary A. Lynch	58	..	..	Broncho pneumonia	Ireland
5	Elisha Mann	77	..	..	Paralysis	Randolph
7	Mary J. Clapp	58	7	1	Degenerative myocarditis	Medford
14	Charles F. Bean	57	11	21	Mitral disease of heart	Randolph
March						
4	Mary A. Broderick	59	6	25	Carcinoma of stomach	England
7	Louis Goeres	69	5	10	Pulmonary oedema	Germany

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8	Mary Roberts	69	8	3	Acute intestinal obstruction	England
14	Jessie L. Cox	20	6	26	Cordiac embolus	Bridgeport, Conn.
17	Manuel Alferes	8	..	..	Cerebro meningitis	New Bedford
21	Charlotte A. Hayden	79	4	21	Bright's disease	Braintree
21	Dennis O'Brien	66	..	..	Bronchitis capillary	Ireland
23	James S. Sullivan	41	..	..	Pneumonia	Worcester
23	William W. Otis	72	6	26	Oedema of lungs	Scutuate
24	Catherine McMahon	65	..	..	Pneumonia	Ireland
26	Daniel Barry	..	..	1	Atelectasis	Randolph
26	Ellen M. Pierce	61	5	20	Cerebral hemorrhage	Sandwich
29	William R. Lynch	62	11	5	Valvular Disease of heart	Vermont
30	William A. Howard	80	..	..	Cerebral hemorrhage	Dorchester
April						
7	John F. Toomey	42	..	..	Phthisis pulmonalis	Ireland
16	William C. Barry	68	..	..	Valvular disease of heart	Ireland
19	W. Stanley Horton, Jr.	21	1	23	Acute enteritis	Canton
27	Ellen Marsden	67	7	..	Paralysis	Randolph
May						
7	Charlotte Reed	91	11	6	Arterial sclerosis	Yarmouth, Me.
13	Mary J. Mann	84	4	26	Old age	Randolph
15	Hanora Creedon	73	..	..	Arterial sclerosis	Ireland
21	Joseph A. Paine	62	11	..	Pneumonia	Salem

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22	Thomas F. Hand	69	6	18	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
30	John A. Mann.....	71	6	17	Acute cystitis	Randolph
31	Deborah T. Niles	76	5	7	Acute bronchitis	Randolph
June						
8	Michael Donovan	74	..	19	Carcinoma	Bridgewater
17	Julia F. Linfield	70	5	8	Heart disease	Randolph
22	Josephine E. Long	18	2	8	Endocarditis	Randolph
24	Unknown	60	..	..	Unknown	Unknown
30	Ralph Emerson Niles	..	..	12	Defect i ventricular sep- tum.	Randolph
July						
2	Bridget Heney	77	..	..	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
22	James N. McKay	81	2	28	Hepatitis	Boston
Aug.						
5	Ellen F. McGrath	68	..	..	Heart disease	Ireland
8	James E. Daly	37	1	..	Tuberculosis	Randolph
12	Mary C. Ford	..	8	19	Ileo colitis	Randolph
16	James Blythe	73	..	..	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
17	.....	..	..	..	Stillborn	Randolph
25	Mary T. Fennessy	63	8	29	Cerebral hemorrhage	Randolph
27	Charles H. Smith	15	2	12	Diphtheria	Brookline
30	Annie J. O'Neil	19	7	28	Phthisis pulmonalis	Holbrook
31		..	..	..	Premature birth	Randolph

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11	Ellen Donahue	64	7	25	Apoplexy	Ireland
13	Hattie E. Roel	26	6	9	Septicaemia	Uxbridge
14	William Good	60	7	25	Hydrothorax	Randolph
15	William S. Smith	71	2	25	Dysentery	Portland, Me.
16	William H. Bradford	60	..	..	Acute endocarditis	Randolph
19	Elizabeth T. Morgan	72	..	..	Senile nephritis	Canton
22	Mary H. McDonald	20	..	18	Nephritis	Randolph
24	Albert W. Dyer	64	8	18	Carcinoma	So. Braintree
Dec.						
7	Angelette H. Shedd	71	..	..	Arterio sclerosis	Milton
17	Emeline G. Roberts	62	6	17	Carcinoma	North Easton
19	William R. Jones	14	..	..	Lobar pneumonia	Randolph
21	Eliza I. Hughes	82	7	21	Senile pneumonia	St. John, N. B.
22	Adeline F. Bromade	76	8	17	Cerebral hemorrhage	Sharon
29	Mary J. Mahoney	62	7	28	Phthisis pulmonalis	Ireland

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES.

Dysentery, hydrothorax, peritonitis, cirrhosis of liver, mal-nutrition, sarcoma, pul. embolus, status lymphaticus, melancolia, marasmus, cholera infantum, albuminuria, dyphtheria, tuberculosis, hepatitis, unknown, cyanosis, cystitis, enteritis, atelectasis, Bright's disease, cerebro meningitis, cardiac embolus, intestinal obstruction, one each	24
Apoplexy, septicaemia, paralysis, oedema, endocarditis, ileo colitis, stillborn, asthenia nephritis, two each	18
Old age, three	3
Bronchitis, phthisis, four each	8
Arterio sclerosis, carcinoma, five each	10
Pneumonia, seven	7
Cerebral hemorrhage, eight	8
Heart disease, nine	9
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Interments

AT RANDOLPH OF PERSONS DYING ELSEWHERE IN 1907.

Date		Name	Age			Place of Death
			Y.	M.	D.	
Dec. 1906.	31	Catherine Hassett	75	..	..	Weymouth
Jan. 1907,	2	Florence May Carney	8	7	28	Brockton
	4	George W. Taylor	56	10	12	Quincy
	6	John Whitty	80	1	12	So. Braintree
	11	William Donellan	..	..	1	Boston
	12	Chester W. Levangie	..	10	..	So. Braintree
	18	Alice Lane	48	..	..	So. Braintree
	24	Jack Oswell	..	..	1	Brockton
	30	Bridget McConaty	85	..	..	Stoneham
Feb.	2	Katherine Woodward	42	..	..	Avon
	2	Oliver M. Sheridan	44	..	..	Jamaica Plain
	19	Valentine Chisholm	66	..	..	Quincy
	23	Esther B. Whitney	91	..	..	Boston
	27	William T. Quinn	..	5	21	Weymouth
March.	3	John S. Littlefield	86	5	8	Franklin

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4	Matilda DeCota	72	8	17	Brockton
4	Eleanor M. Levangie	..	4	11	So. Braintree
19	Nellie G. Sullivan	26	..	13	Boston
23	Margaret Connor	11	..	..	Brockton
25	Julia Coyne	89	6	..	Quincy
4	James K. Walsh	74	11	21	Weymouth
13	Mary A. Kiernan	67	11	..	Braintree
24	Sadie E. Walsh	20	1	18	Avon
29	Catherine Scannell	85	..	..	Avon
7	Mary Ann O'Hare	53	..	..	Quincy
11	George H. Lefaund	1	7	..	So. Braintree
19	Freeman Frazier	17	10	19	So. Braintree
21	Anna F. Cronin	44	..	..	Lynn
22	Celeste Whalin	80	..	..	Boston
3	Mary Dorgan	77	..	..	Avon
7	John Joseph Pyne	..	7	9	Canton
13	Eugene A. Howard, Jr.....	22	7	14	Boston
30	Mary S. Luciana.....	..	1	..	So. Braintree
7	Michael De Forey	..	8	23	So. Braintree
10	Almorán C. Blankinship	1	8	11	Brockton
30	Lillian G. McMahon	..	6	14	Braintree
2	Roy Hayden	1	4	21	Holbrook
10	Jeremiah Kelliher	62	..	..	Holbrook
15	Dorothy P. Packard	11	4	..	Digby, N. S.

April

May

June

July

Aug.

Sept.

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Oct.	15	Timothy A. Reardon	28	..	10	Holbrook
	21	Philip J. Doherty	29	3	25	Brockton
	28	Lawrence Moran	46	..	..	Avon
Nov.	2	Francis P. Rierdon	..	11	2	Braintree
	17	Mary Casey	26	..	..	Brockton
	1	Mildred A. Powderly	..	5	13	Brockton
Dec.	22	Michael Crowley	50	..	..	Bridgewater
	29	John J. Hayes	40	..	..	Braintree
	5	Elizabeth Kelliher	79	..	..	Holbrook
	9	Arthur E. Mann	51	3	11	Hull
	12	Mary B. Bauermeister	91	4	..	Hopkinton
	14	Arthur H. Dyer	..	..	1	Milton
	15	Catherine Neagle	72	..	..	Quincy
	26	Anna May O'Brien	..	3	18	So. Braintree

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

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OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, School
Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health
Town Clerk and Town Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School
Fund, the Trustees of the Turner Free Library
and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1908

MAR 15 1963

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1908-1909

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, JOHN E. McDONALD, CHARLES H. THAYER.

ASSESSORS.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN . . . Term expires 1911.
JOHN E. McDONALD . . . Term expires 1910.
CHARLES H. THAYER . . . Term expires 1909.

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ROYAL T. MANN . . . Term expires 1909.
REDMOND P. BARRETT . . . Term expires 1910.
EDWARD LONG . . . Term expires 1911.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

DANIEL B. WHITE . . . 1910.
WILLIAM F. BARRETT . . . 1909.
RICHARD F. FORREST . . . 1911.

AUDITORS.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN K. WILLARD, JOHN B. WREN.

CONSTABLES.

FRANK W. HARRIS	P. JOSEPH RILEY	JOSEPH H. FOSTER
JAMES FOLEY	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN	JOHN HANEY
	FRANK J. DONAHOE.	

TAX COLLECTOR

ARTHUR W. ALDEN.

FENCE VIEWERS.

JAMES RILEY, CHARLES H. COLE, WILLIAM H. MAHADY.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

JOHN H. FIELD	JOSEPH T. LEAHY	EDMOND BELCHER
	JOHN H. KELLEHER	

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

CHARLES A. WALES, Chief.	WILLIAM A. CROAK, Clerk.	
JAMES E. BLANCHE	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN	GEORGE A. ROEL.

WARDEN OF ALMSHOUSE.

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN.

KEEPER OF LOCKUP.

ARTHUR W. ALDEN.

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT.

HENRY E. HOLBROOK of Stoughton.

Report of the Assessors.

The Assessors herewith submit their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1908.

VALUATION.

	1907	1908	Gain.
Real Estate	\$1,668,950 00	\$1,687,450 00	\$18,500 00
Personal	308,400 00	318,850 00	10,450 00
	\$1,977,350 00	\$2,006,300 00	\$28,950 00
Value of buildings excluding land			\$1,131,550 00
Value of land excluding buildings			555,900 00
Town tax			\$46,520 00
State tax			3,850 00
State highway tax			69 15
County tax			1,731 01
Overlay appropriated for abatement of taxes			506 48
Total amount to be raised in 1908			\$52,676 64
Estimated corporation tax	\$3,151 00		
Estimated bank tax	1,588 00		
1097 polls	2,194 00		6,933 00
Amount to be raised on property			\$45,743 64
Tax rate, \$22.80			

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Tax on real estate.....	\$38,473 86
Tax on personal.....	7,269 78
1097 polls.....	2,194 00
Amount committed to Collector of Taxes.....	\$47,937 64
Population, census of 1904.....	4034
Number of horses.....	238
Number of cows.....	277
Number of neat cattle.....	3
Number of swine.....	287
Number of fowl.....	2244
Number of dwelling houses.....	898
Acres of land.....	5519

ESTIMATED VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Almshouse property and farm.....	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land.....	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus.....	5,500 00
One Babcock extinguisher and apparatus.....	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup.....	4,200 00
Land, "Clark Estate".....	1,200 00
Highway plant.....	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land So. Main St.....	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land School St.....	6,000 00
Schoolhouse and land Chestnut St.....	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land Belcher St.....	9,250 00
Land North St.....	200 00
Schoolhouse and land Lafayette St.....	1,600 00
Prescott Schoolhouse and land Ward and School Sts.	17,000 00

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Turner High School fund for medals.....	\$1,500 00
Stetson High School fund.....	20,200 00
Turner Free Library building and land.....	40,000 00
Turner Free Library.....	20,000 00
Turner fund (Library).....	10,000 00
Royal W. Turner Free Library fund.....	20,000 00
Coddington fund.....	1,900 00
E. Fanny Belcher lot.....	1,000 00
New High School.....	27,800 00
Water works.....	162,000 00
	\$388,950 00

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1908.

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	Appropriation	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Schools including Stetson High.....	\$13,625 00	\$2,100 03	\$15,725 03	\$15,337 44		\$387 59
Miscellaneous.....	1,800 00	.....	1,800 00	2,014 02	\$214 02	.....
Almshouse and repairs.....	1,000 00	851 60	2,751 60	3,017 01	265 41	.....
Poor out of almshouse.....	2,800 00	43 50	2,843 50	2,826 36	.....	17 14
Poor of other towns.....	.....	.....	.....	563 15	.....	.....
Soldiers' relief.....	400 00	30 87	430 87	467 66	36 79	.....
Soldiers' relief, R. & H.....	300 00	82 43	382 43	247 29	.....	135 14
Highways and removal of snow.....	3,500 00	2,222 00	5,722 00	5,655 14	.....	66 86
Street Watering.....	500 00	10 00	510 00	500 00	.....	10 00
Town officers.....	2,200 00	50 00	2,250 00	2,250 50	50	.....
Fire Department.....	2,561 00	.....	2,561 00	2,583 62	22 62	.....
Water commissioners.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00	1,500 00	.....	.....
Treasurer's bond.....	120 00	.....	120 00	120 00	.....	.....
Abatement of taxes.....	.....	*506 48	506 48	915 07	408 59	.....
Special police.....	1,200 00	.....	1,200 00	1,320 55	120 55	.....
Births, marriages, deaths and court fees.....	250 00	170 00	420 00	232 76	.....	196 24
State aid.....	.....	.....	.....	3,922 00	.....	.....
Military aid.....	100 00	260 00	360 00	426 00	66 00	.....
Decoration, soldiers' graves.....	150 00	.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....
Burial indigent soldiers.....	.....	.....	.....	185 00	.....	.....
Lockup.....	150 00	.....	150 00	139 30	.....	10 70
Street lighting.....	3,435 00	.....	3,435 00	3,494 30	59 30	.....
Interest.....	2,500 00	786 63	3,286 63	4,023 58	736 95	.....
Reduction of town debt.....	6,480 00	.....	6,480 00	6,480 00	.....	.....
County tax.....	1,731 01	.....	1,731 01	1,731 01	.....	.....
State tax.....	3,850 00	.....	3,850 00	3,850 00	.....	.....
State highway tax.....	69 15	.....	69 15	69 15	.....	.....
Tree warden.....	300 00	.....	300 00	512 29	212 29	.....
Board of Health.....	200 00	.....	200 00	118 85	.....	81 15
Pay of Physicians.....	300 00	.....	300 00	246 00	.....	54 00
Turner free library.....	175 00	.....	175 00	175 00	.....	.....
Care of clocks.....	20 00	.....	20 00	20 00	.....	.....
Pinkerton vs. Randolph.....	.....	.....	.....	161 30	161 30	.....
Hunt vs. Randolph.....	.....	.....	.....	200 00	200 00	.....
New high school.....	17,840 95	.....	17,840 95	17,840 95	.....	.....
Legal expenses.....	.....	.....	.....	750 78	750 78	.....
Woodlawn street.....	1,500 00	.....	1,500 00	1,449 79	.....	50 21
Net amount overdrawn.....	\$71,457 11	.....	.....	\$85,495 87	\$3,255 10	\$1,009 03 2,246 07

* Overlay of taxes.

Report of the Selectmen.

The Selectmen herewith submit their report of their doings for the year ending December 31, 1908.

HIGHWAYS.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun according to the usual custom, by cleaning the gutters as soon as the ground would permit in the spring. After which, graveling and other repairs were done on the various streets as follows: Cross street, 469 loads gravel; South Main street, 900 feet cobblestone road, for which 500 loads of stone and gravel were used and 27 loads ashes on sidewalk; Alden street, 85 loads gravel; South street, 1,200 feet cobblestone road, for which 379 loads stone and gravel were used; Centre street, 380 loads gravel; Grove street, 22 loads gravel; Lafayette street, 17 loads gravel, laying 20 feet 12-inch pipe; Gold street, 22 loads gravel; High street, 90 loads gravel and removing large stones; Canton street, 101 loads gravel; North Main street (West Corner), 98 loads gravel; Chestnut street, 22 loads gravel and removing stones and repairing two catchbasins; Pond street, 19 loads gravel and 42 loads ashes; Oak street, 110 loads gravel; Allen street, 7 loads gravel and repairing bridge; North street, 145 loads gravel; Liberty street, 41 loads gravel; Warren street, 21

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loads gravel and 12 loads ashes; Mill street, 21 loads gravel and removing 30 feet 12-inch pipe; Short street, 2 loads ashes; Howard street, 39 loads gravel; Moulton street, 10 loads gravel on sidewalk; Union street, 36 loads gravel and repairing bridge; Ward street, 7 loads gravel and 12 loads ashes on sidewalk; Belcher street, 65 loads gravel; Cottage street, 12 loads gravel and laying 62 feet 12-inch pipe; Pleasant street, 30 loads gravel; North Main street, 2,700 feet crushed stone road, 620 tons of stone were used and 32 loads gravel; West street, 62 loads gravel; Orchard street, 32 loads gravel, removing large stones and laying 50 feet 12-inch pipe.

We had to buy a new crusher, for which we paid \$600.00, as the old one was of no use. And buying new parts and repairs on engine and laying new water pipe for the same, and repairs on crusher building and building fences was quite expensive. Mowed the grass on all streets that was needed, and cutting of bushes. Digging ditches on the Fanny Belcher lot. Cleaned all catchbasins. Crushed 684 540/2,000 tons of stone. Paid snow bill of 1907 and 1908 of \$305.42.

Would recommend that there be raised \$1,000 for the removing of snow, instead of taking it from the Highway appropriation, as Highland avenue is in very poor condition and needs a great deal of repairs.

JAMES E. BLANCHE,

Superintendent.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

GENERAL REPAIRS.

Paid Jas. E. Blanche, Superintendent.....	\$441 75
John Sheehan, labor.....	315 50
Town teams, labor	372 38
E. W. Campagna, labor and materials.....	81 69
John Meaney, team labor.....	85 25
George F. Taylor, labor and materials.....	88 58
John B. McGrane, labor.....	134 50
H. Linnehan, labor.....	262 00
Thomas Duff, labor.....	238 50
John Harris, labor.....	88 25
W. O'Halloran, labor.....	53 00
Cornelius Good, labor.....	96 00
James Blythe, labor.....	44 00
Michael Crowley, labor.....	113 00
Michael Good, labor.....	282 50
James Barry, labor.....	272 00
James Devine, team labor.....	42 80
M. E. Leahy, coal.....	114 85
M. E. Leahy, team labor.....	244 12
John T. Wales, labor.....	49 00
M. J. Devine, team labor.....	60 00
Frank Hussey, labor.....	100 05
R. McLeod, labor.....	2 00
Andrew J. Hayes, team labor.....	38 50
C. F. Doonan, team labor.....	43 76
M. J. O'Connell, labor.....	44 00
James Hoye, labor.....	20 00
John Carr, labor.....	30 00
W. H. Johnson, labor.....	64 25
M. Holbrook, labor.....	39 25
William Dove, labor.....	13 00
F. E. Stetson, team labor.....	59 50

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Paid J. B. Clark, labor.....	\$10 00
John Kelleher, labor..	7 00
James Carroll, team labor.....	36 75
Wm. Fay, labor.....	81 50
J. B. McNeil, labor.....	22 15
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight.....	11 56
C. H. Holt, labor.....	40 00
R. E. O'Brien, materials.....	69 58
Jas. P. Walsh, labor.....	43 00
Wm. F. Barrett, labor.....	38 00
Thomas Patten, labor.....	40 00
H. L. Paul, labor.....	2 00
C. H. Cole, labor.....	5 00
J. M. Dyer, team labor.....	43 75
J. M. Dyer, gravel.....	3 08
C. Billingham, labor.....	1 50
E. L. McAuliffe.....	30
Adam F. Jones, labor.....	15 70
F. J. Billingham, labor.....	2 25
James Fardy, labor.....	13 10
Chapman Valve Co.....	2 85
George W. Bailey.....	25
Dyar Supply Co., stone crusher.....	157 44
Grafton & Knight Mfg. Co.....	2 75
W. H. Carroll, stone.....	12 82
D. A. Elliot, gravel.....	59 08
John J. Collins, gravel.....	54 36
W. H. Ford, Trustee, stone crusher.....	450 00
Frank Woodman, labor.....	4 00
William Deare, labor.....	10 00
John Mullins, labor.....	4 00
Thomas Devine, labor.....	4 00
John Gaynor, labor.....	3 00
Curry Oil & Supply Co.....	22 45

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Paid C. A. Wales, gravel.....	\$4 90
C. Larson, gravel.....	14
Clara Alden, gravel.....	6 69
E. M. Mann, gravel.....	8 75
C. R. Powers, gravel.....	10 57
Mary L. Smith, gravel.....	32 27
Wm. Mahady, labor.....	3 00
Albert Perry, labor.....	50
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	3 35
Thomas Kenney, gravel.....	4 10
Estate C. H. Nichols.....	70
D. Puzone, stone.....	34 10
A. Lizzie Mann, rent of land.....	20 00
C. H. Hill, supplies.....	1 66
L. Stetson, gravel.....	6 79
	\$5,344 72

REMOVING SNOW.

Paid James Devine and others.....	\$49 00
F. E. Stetson and others.....	31 85
Wm. Mahady and others.....	47 00
W. H. Carroll and others.....	41 00
M. E. Leahy and others.....	28 88
John Sheehan.....	17 55
Town teams.....	8 50
James Riley and others.....	76 64
John C. Marcellie.....	4 00
James Keenan.....	6 00
	\$310 42

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SUMMARY.

Paid General repairs.....	\$5,344 72
Removing snow.....	310 42
	\$5,655 14
Town appropriation.....	\$3,500 00
Old Colony St. Railway excise tax.....	1,275 65
Bristol & Norfolk St. Railway excise tax.....	40 75
Street railway tax.....	880 04
Use of steam roller.....	10 00
Dyar Supply Co.....	15 56
	\$5,722 00
Unexpended, \$66.86.	

WOODLAWN STREET.

Paid James E. Blanche, Superintendent.....	\$74 75
John Sheehan, labor.....	49 00
N. Linnehan, labor.....	48 00
Michael Good, labor.....	48 00
James Barry, labor.....	48 00
Thomas Duff, labor.....	48 00
H. C. Truelson, labor.....	36 00
John Carr, labor.....	37 00
William Deare, labor.....	47 00
M. Holbrook, labor.....	17 00
John K. Anderson, labor.....	38 00
Town teams, labor.....	70 50

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Paid Patrick Ryan, labor.....	\$27 00
John Wales, labor.....	73 50
Charles Clark, labor.....	31 00
Frank Riley, labor.....	31 00
J. E. Sprague, dynamite.....	11 45
Fred Ellison, labor.....	25 00
John Mullins, labor.....	33 00
H. L. Paul, team labor.....	62 50
M. E. Leahy, team labor.....	55 00
Frank Woodman, labor.....	18 00
W. O'Halloran, labor.....	18 00
Cornelius Good, labor.....	18 00
William Jones, labor.....	18 00
George Averell, labor.....	16 00
Lysander C. Morse, labor.....	18 00
John Harris, labor.....	18 00
Richard Harris, labor.....	16 00
Patrick Riley, labor.....	18 00
Thomas Devine, labor.....	18 00
Michael Devine, labor.....	16 00
Thomas Kiley, labor.....	18 00
M. J. O'Connell, labor.....	16 00
A. & D. Nelson, labor.....	25 00
William Devine, labor.....	31 50
James Devine, labor.....	31 50
Peter Klausen, labor.....	31 50
John Meaney, labor.....	28 00
John Kelleher, labor.....	4 00
John Gaynor, labor.....	4 00
R. Hamilton, labor.....	10 00
D. T. Clark, surveying.....	2 00
Clarence Deane, damage.....	7 00
E. W. Campagna, labor and materials.....	58 40
F. W. Hayden, supplies.....	2 98

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Paid James Fardy, labor.....	\$20 70
Estate John Wales, gravel.....	56 51
	\$1,449 79

Appropriation.....	\$1,500 00
Unexpended.....	50 21

WATERING STREETS.

Paid Timonthy Lyons.....	\$500 00
Appropriation.....	\$500 00
Credits.....	10 00
	\$510 00
Unexpended.....	10 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid James Foley, police duty and car fares.....	\$12 90
W. A. Croak, rent of G. A. R. Hall.....	4 50
W. A. Croak, election officer.....	3 00
E. M. Mann, wood for selectmen's office.....	28 00
John F. Gill, election officer.....	10 00
J. J. McMahon, teller.....	3 00
Bernard Moore, election officer.....	10 00
James E. Foley, teller.....	3 00
S. A. Foster, election officer.....	3 00
P. H. McLaughlin, cash paid.....	7 64

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Paid Wm. Mahady.....	\$17 75
W. H. Murphy, teller.....	3 00
James Dunphy, teller.....	3 00
D. F. Mahoney, teller.....	6 00
Peter J. McGrath, sealer of weights & measures	25 86
Jas. J. Shea, teller.....	3 00
George A. Roel, teller.....	3 00
George F. Sawyer, teller.....	3 00
John O'Keefe, damage.....	75 00
"Pequa Press," printing.....	294 70
M. F. Sullivan, police duty, posting warrants, etc.	62 50
Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerk.....	6 00
Herman Shaw, teller.....	3 00
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.....	32 66
The Fairbanks Co., "scales".....	11 61
Nelson Mann, teller.....	6 00
Post 110, G. A. R., on order of Moderator....	25 00
Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co.....	53 28
W. & L. E. Gurley.....	17 69
Frank H. Tileston, teller.....	3 00
Peter Quinn, teller.....	6 00
Arthur W. Alden, care of Hall and Selectmen's Room.....	106 00
John Haney, police duty and cash paid.....	10 90
Fred M. French, insurance.....	155 87
M. K. Hill, printing.....	125 35
E. W. Campagna, labor on voting booths....	7 00
John Shipman, teller.....	6 00
R. M. Johnson, dinners.....	39 60
Chandler & Farquhar.....	3 00
H. W. Pratt, insurance.....	304 92
Map.....	1 95
Stamps and postage.....	11 30
George F. Taylor.....	2 00

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Paid W. J. Good.....	\$15 00
J. R. McCoole, copy of Register of Probate Records.....	15 50
P. B. Murphy, printing.....	3 30
"Wakefield Daily Item".....	2 75
J. L. Fairbanks, stationery.....	1 08
Hooper Lewis & Co., stationery.....	12 60
C. F. Lyons, sundries.....	3 65
W. L. McAdams.....	7 50
D. T. Clark, surveying.....	26 50
Frank W. Harris, police duty.....	9 50
W. O'Halloran, watchman.....	6 00
W. F. McAuliffe, police duty.....	7 50
John P. Rooney, police duty.....	7 50
Frank J. Donahoe, police duty.....	9 00
P. Joseph Riley, police duty.....	7 50
A. L. Chase.....	10
R. E. O'Brien, labor, selectmen's office.....	21 18
M. E. Clark, teller.....	3 00
Frank H. Jaquith, teller.....	6 00
Fred M. French, teller.....	3 00
Register Publishing Co., printing.....	65 00
Hobbs & Warren Co., stationery.....	8 00
E. L. Burdakin, registry of deeds.....	18 20
Thos. Groom & Co., stationery.....	12 75
Chas. H. Thayer, cash paid.....	12 70
Hartford Boiler Insurance Co.....	80 00
J. T. Leahy, insurance.....	86 48
Richard Harris, election officer.....	5 00
Edward Flaherty, ballot clerk.....	3 00
J. J. Hurley, teller.....	3 00
Thomas J. Smith, teller.....	3 00
William F. Barrett, teller.....	6 00
Jas. E. Blanche, teams.....	14 50

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Paid Estate C. H. Nichols, teams and expressing..	\$8 15
Sundries.....	10
	\$2,014 02

Appropriation.....	\$1,800 00
Overdrawn.....	214 02

TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	\$400 00
John E. McDonald.....	350 00
Charles H. Thayer.....	350 00

Town Treasurer.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy.....	\$300 00
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Auditors.

Paid John B. Wren.....	\$20 00
Michael F. Cunningham.....	20 00
John K. Willard.....	20 00

Registrars of Voters.

Paid John H. Field.....	\$50 00
Edmond K. Belcher.....	50 00
John H. Kelleher.....	50 00
Joseph T. Leahy.....	75 00

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Engineers of Fire Department.

Paid Charles A. Wales.....	\$20 00
Michael F. Sullivan.....	20 00
James E. Blanche.....	20 00
George A. Roel.....	20 00
William A. Croak.....	30 00

Inspector of Animals.

Paid*Charles H. Cole.....	100 00
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Collector of Taxes.

Paid Arthur W. Alden.....	355 50
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\$2,250 50

Appropriation.....	\$2,200 00
*Refunded by State.....	50 00

Overdrawn.....	50
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS AND COURT FEES.

Paid Richard Forrest, census of births.....	\$15 00
Cartwright & Hurley, returning deaths.....	27 50
A. L. Chase, M. D., returning births.....	1 00
Lowe & Smith, returning deaths.....	2 75
E. E. Goodwin, returning births.....	25
J. F. Bothfield, returning births	25
J. C. Dacy, returning births	25
J. T. Leahy, recording births, marriages and deaths	72 55
Jas. Foley, court fees.....	49 10

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Paid John Haney, court fees.....	\$12 30
W. M. Marden, court fees.....	9 00
O. J. Curtis, court fees.....	5 00
W. O. Crocker, court fees.....	6 32
Lucy M. Robinson, returning births.....	50
James Pye, court fees.....	5 00
Richard Vanston, court fees.....	5 00
P. J. Morley, court fees.....	2 00
George V. Higgins, M. D., returning births.....	2 25
E. Lawrence Payne, court fees.....	7 74
C. C. Farnham, M. D., returning births.....	25
E. P. Linfield, M. D., returning births.....	50
F. C. Granger, M. D., returning births.....	8 25

\$232 76

Appropriation.....	\$250 00
Credits.....	179 00
	429 00

Unexpended..... \$196 24

SPECIAL POLICE.

Paid John Haney.....	\$619 00
James Foley.....	606 00
Randolph Clothing Co.....	30 55
Estate C. H. Nichols, carriage hire.....	65 00

\$1,320 55

Appropriation.....	\$1,200 00
Overdrawn.....	120 55

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid Engineers.....	\$2,583 62
Appropriation.....	\$2,561 00
Overdrawn.....	22 62

SCHOOLS.

Paid Sundry accounts.....	\$15,337 44
(See report of School Committee.)	
Appropriation.....	\$13,625 00
Credits.....	2,100 03
	\$15,725 03
Unexpended.....	\$387 59

STREET LIGHTING.

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co....	\$3,494 30
Appropriation.....	\$3,435 00
Overdrawn.....	59 30

TREASURER'S BOND.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, treasurer.....	\$120 00
Appropriation.....	\$120 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES.

Paid Horace Niles Post 110 G. A. R.....	\$150 00
Appropriation.....	\$150 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Paid Arthur W. Alden, Collector for 1904, 1905, 1906	\$915 07
Appropriation (overlay of taxes).....	\$506 48
Overdrawn.....	408 59

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

Paid Water commissions.....	\$1,500 00
Appropriation.....	\$1,500 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF WHOSE MILITARY SETTLEMENT IS IN RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK.

Paid for Mrs. Thos. F. Hand.....	\$120 75
Mrs. Elvira Holbrook.....	60 00
Herbert Leavitt, at Quincy.....	32 00
Charles Leavitt, at Boston.....	34 29
Mrs. Lawrence Leavitt.....	25
	\$247 29

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Appropriation.....	\$300 00
Paid by Holbrook.....	82 43
	\$382 43
Unexpended, \$135 14.	

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Paid for Albertina Hinckley.....	\$69 75
John J. Thornton.....	69 78
Hugh Currie and family.....	138 75
Mrs. J. A. Sylvester.....	3 88
James Crannage.....	20 00
Charles Eddy.....	7 75
Melissa White.....	7 25
Leroy S. Hollis, at Weymouth.....	120 00
Aid to sundry persons.....	30 50
	\$467 66
Appropriation.....	\$400 00
Credits.....	30 87
	\$430 87
Overdrawn	
	\$36 79

MILITARY AID.

Paid Lysander C. Morse.....	\$18 00
Charles P. Thayer.....	144 00
Charles Tileston.....	120 00
Eugene J. Ward.....	144 00
	\$426 00

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Appropriation.....	\$100 00	
To be paid by State.....	213 00	
By Holbrook.....	47 00	
		\$360 00
Overdrawn.....		\$66 00

STATE AID.

Paid Sundry persons.....	\$3,922 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by the State.	

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid Cartwright & Hurley, fumigating.....	\$32 00
Sundry persons, burial of dogs.....	7 75
F. Herbert Gile, M. D., services	2 00
W. J. Good, burial of horse.....	15 00
Estate C. H. Nichols, expressing.....	2 10
P. H. McLaughlin, services.....	20 00
J. E. McDonald, services.....	20 00
C. H. Thayer, services.....	20 00
	\$118 85
Appropriation.....	\$200 00
Unexpended.....	81 15

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BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS.

Paid for George W. Averell.....	\$37 00
Charles T. Hayden.....	37 00
Robert McLennen.....	37 00
Charles T. Lawless.....	37 00
Michael Halpin.....	37 00
	\$185 00

No appropriation.

To be refunded by State.

LOCKUP.

Paid Arthur W. Alden, salary.....	\$100 00
Arthur W. Alden, supplies.....	8 00
D. B. White, coal.....	22 75
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	2 27
R. E. O'Brien, labor.....	2 00
Frank N. Smith, charcoal.....	1 28
Jas. F. Hurley, labor.....	3 00
	\$139 30

Appropriation.....	\$150 00
Unexpended.....	10 70

TREE WARDEN.

Paid Royal T. Mann, labor.....	\$486 93
W. H. Claflin & Co., supplies.....	16 76

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Paid Bowker Insecticide Co., supplies.....	\$ 50
R. E. O'Brien, supplies.....	6 43
Eugene Thayer, supplies.....	1 67
	\$512 29
Appropriation.....	\$300 00
Overdrawn.....	212 29

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer.....	\$6,480 00
Appropriation, \$6,480 00.	

TURNER FREE LIBRARY.

Paid N. Irving Tolman, Treasurer.....	\$175 00
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STATE TAX.

Paid A. B. Chapin, Treasurer.....	\$3,850 00
Appropriation, \$3,850 00.	

STATE HIGHWAY TAX.

Paid A. B. Chapin, Treasurer.....	\$69 15
Appropriation, \$69 15.	

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COUNTY TAX.

Paid Henry D. Humphrey, Treasurer..... \$1,731 01
Appropriation, \$1,731 01.

INTEREST.

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer..... \$4,023 58
Appropriation..... \$2,500 00
Credits..... 786 63

\$3,286 63

Overdrawn..... \$736 95

CARE OF CLOCKS.

Paid Arthur W. Alden, Treasurer..... \$20 00
Appropriation, \$20 00.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

Paid Hurd & Gore, architects..... \$702 50
Mead, Mason & Co., contractors..... 16,800 25
Fred M. French, insurance..... 60 00
Joseph T. Leahy, insurance..... 48 00
Herbert W. Pratt, insurance..... 60 00

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Paid Powers Bros.....	\$155 20
Henry A. Belcher.....	8 00
William Mahady.....	7 00
	\$17,840 95

PINKERTON *V.S.* RANDOLPH.

Paid L. A. Cook, Clerk of Courts.....	\$98 80
Charles H. Thayer, expenses.....	62 50
	\$161 30

No appropriation.

HUNT *V.S.* RANDOLPH.

Paid P. H. Sullivan, attorney.....	\$200 00
No appropriation.	

LEGAL SERVICES.

Paid John & Beal, services and expenses	
Thompson <i>vs.</i> Randolph.....	\$103 13
Pinkerton <i>vs.</i> Randolph.....	382 74
Kingsberry <i>vs.</i> Randolph.....	44 22
Hunt <i>vs.</i> Randolph.....	35 00
Board of Health.....	30 00
Miscellaneous.....	155 69
for the years 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908.	
	\$750 78

No appropriation.

Report of the Overseers of the Poor.

The Overseers of the Poor herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1908.

At the Almshouse M. M. Sullivan and wife continue in charge as Warden and Matron. The inmates have a good home, are well cared for in every way, and have no occasion to complain of any lack of interest in their behalf. The Warden and Matron are giving the very best of their services, and the Overseers fully appreciate the manner of their doing. Average expense per week per inmate, \$2.48.

Of the outside poor we would say that our expenses just about equalled our income.

The following are the expenses in detail:

ALMSHOUSE.

Paid M. M. Sullivan, salary.....	\$500 02
M. M. Sullivan, supplies.....	10 00
William P. Sullivan, groceries.....	153 34
William Crossley, papers.....	6 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., groceries.....	133 02
C. D. Hill, groceries.....	121 08
Estate J. W. Palmer, groceries.....	73 85

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Paid Good & Jaquith, groceries.....	\$89 63
Herbert F. Reynolds, groceries.....	61 81
Eugene Thayer, groceries.....	66 77
C. Fred Lyons, groceries.....	126 21
George H. Eddy, provisions.....	130 36
R. J. McAuliffe, provisions.....	149 62
Walter M. Howard, fish.....	63 39
P. H. McLaughlin, dry goods.....	52 72
Wilson Larrabee & Co., dry goods.....	8 66
Flagg & Willis, bedding.....	18 03
Randolph Clothing Co.....	93 03
N. E. Telegraph & Telephone Co.....	29 95
B. F. Hayden, grain.....	132 15
N. E. Buck, grain.....	133 76
McAuliffe & Co., medicine.....	5 65
J. Breck & Sons, ice chest and seeds.....	76 54
D. Eddy & Son, expressage.....	1 75
J. D. Murphy.....	8 25
Kimball Harrington & Co.....	2 50
A. H. Holbrook.....	4 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor and materials.....	67 93
Howard Randall, oil.....	9 60
L. Stetson.....	5 00
M. Stanton, shoe repairing.....	8 15
Ferguson Farm, hay.....	15 40
Wm. F. McAuliffe, hay.....	17 70
Jas. A. Brennan, hay.....	42 20
Mrs. R. Minac, hay.....	19 65
M. J. Collins.....	7 40
Jas. Fardy, labor.....	26 01
J. B. McNeil, labor.....	16 35
W. A. Wood Mfg. Co., mowing machine.....	37 00
Dennehy Bros., blacking.....	1 50
E. E. Lathrop, labor.....	1 00

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Paid C. A. Lyman, labor.....	\$ 75
M. E. Leahy, coal.....	81 00
D. B. White, coal.....	94 00
F. Diauto, coal.....	96 93
R. B. Skillings.....	9 35
Wiley Soap Co.....	16 25
D. B. Curtis, V. S.....	3 50
Jas. Riley, dressing pigs.....	3 00
Lee H. Porter, medicine.....	40 20
W. H. Richardson.....	1 50
Estate C. H. Nichols.....	27 31
T. L. Stetson.....	2 50

\$2,912 27

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Stock on hand December 31, 1907.....	\$2,598 95
Salaries and supplies, 1908.....	2,912 27

\$5,511 22

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Stock on hand December 31, 1908.....	\$2,522 55
Labor of town teams.....	452 38
Sale of produce.....	224 22
Board.....	100 00
Sale of farm wagon.....	75 00
Net expense.....	2,137 07

\$5,511 22

Appropriation.....	\$1,800 00
Labor of town teams.....	452 38
Sale of produce.....	224 22

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Sale of farm wagon.....	\$75 00
Board:.....	100 00
	\$2,651 60

Overdrawn, \$260.67.

Persons supported in the Almshouse for the year ending
December 31, 1907:

	WEEKS
William Doyle.....	52 1/7
Bartholomew Gill.....	52 1/7
Timothy Sullivan.....	52 1/7
Emory Holbrook.....	52 1/7
Thomas Curran.....	52 1/7
*John C. Moore.....	31 1/7
*Stillman Orcutt.....	16 6/7
Allen A. Belcher.....	52 1/7
Christopher Purcell.....	37 5/7
Mary Sloan.....	52 1/7
Margaret Pierce.....	52 1/7
†Flora Alden.....	41
Patrick Kiley.....	52 1/7
Albert White.....	52 1/7
†Augustus L. Tirrell.....	17 1/7
†Charles A. Weeks.....	17 1/7
†Thomas Burbank.....	17 6/7
Cassie Conrad.....	50 2/7
†John Desmond.....	25 6/7
Lewis Jones.....	34 5/7
Joseph Parejgis.....	29 6/7
Thomas Patten.....	12 1/7
†Wm. P. Fox.....	4 4/7

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	WEEKS
Patrick K. Kiley.....	23/7
Neil Johnson.....	16/7

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* Died.

† Removed to hospital.

‡ Discharged.

Number of inmates remaining, 17.

ALMSHOUSE AND TOWN FARM.

Appraisal of stock, furniture, etc., December 31, 1907:

2 Cows.....	\$100 00
2 Horses.....	300 00
24 Fowl.....	24 00
1 Road scraper.....	75 00
1 Farm wagon.....	30 00
2 Tip carts.....	60 00
1 Harness.....	5 00
2 Sets harness.....	50 00
1 Swing drag.....	30 00
1 Mowing machine.....	37 00
1 Hay rake.....	23 00
5 tons Hay.....	100 00
2 Gravel screens.....	10 00
1 Two-horse cart.....	75 00
1 Set double Harness.....	30 00
1 Two-horse sled.....	40 00
1 Tool chest.....	5 00
1 Hay cutter.....	5 00

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6 Draught chains.....	\$12 00
1 Carriage and harness.....	50 00
1 Grindstone.....	4 00
1 Street lamp.....	5 00
5 Cuspidors.....	2 50
19 Iron bedsteads.....	70 00
12 Bed springs.....	42 00
4 Feather beds.....	20 00
22 Feather pillows.....	11 00
18 Mattresses.....	53 00
Lamps and lanterns.....	4 00
25 Lamp chimneys.....	1 50
1 Ice chest.....	40 00
Wooden and tin ware.....	15 00
64 Sheets.....	25 00
38 Blankets.....	38 00
28 Bed spreads.....	22 00
8 Comforters.....	8 00
55 Towels.....	5 50
5 Tablecloths.....	5 00
4 Tables.....	4 00
1 Walnut table.....	3 00
1 Extension table.....	8 00
9 Rocking-chairs.....	9 00
44 Chairs.....	12 00
1 Wool carpet.....	25 00
5 Brooms and 2 brushes.....	2 00
2 Feather dusters.....	3 00
1 Carpet sweeper.....	2 50
2 Clothes wringers.....	10 00
2 Coal hods and shovels.....	2 00
1 Fire extinguisher.....	18 00
12 Dry fire extinguishers.....	20 00
175 feet Hose.....	19 00

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1 Hospital bed.....	\$30 00
8 Snow ploughs.....	150 00
1 Derrick and chain.....	100 00
1 Sleigh.....	5 00
Robes and blankets.....	7 00
1 Lawn mower.....	7 00
1 Bread mixer.....	2 50
3 Hose hangers.....	75
2 Scrubbing brushes.....	50
Range and boiler.....	50 00
Ladders.....	6 00
Fence wire.....	1 00
7 cords Manure.....	35 00
Supplies, including shirts, stockings, etc.....	10 00
3 Baskets.....	1 50
1 Peck measure.....	50
1 Cultivator.....	8 00
2 Plows.....	10 00
1 Harrow.....	5 00
Forks, shovels, hoes.....	12 00
Iron picks and bars.....	5 00
1 Stone roller.....	4 00
1 Wheelbarrow.....	3 00
2 Axes.....	1 00
1 Tobacco cutter.....	1 00
1 Scythe and snath.....	2 00
Bit stock and bits.....	3 50
2 Hand saws and planes.....	3 00
1 Cross-cut saw.....	1 50
8 Drills.....	10 00
1 Stone hammer.....	1 50
17 Empty barrels.....	1 70
2 cords Wood.....	12 00
17 tons Coal.....	119 00

List of Jurors.

Abenzellar, Alfred S., Lafayette St.....	Shoemaker
Briggs, Herbert M., No. Main St.....	Real Estate
Barrett, Wm. F., North St.....	Shoemaker
Buck, N. Everett, So. Main St.....	Grain Dealer
Belcher, Edmond K., So. Main St.....	Shoe Cutter
Bradley, Henry J., Ward St.....	Shoemaker
Beal, Ira E., M. P. Square.....	Shoemaker
Casey, Peter, Pleasant St.....	Shoemaker
Cain, Farrell H., Howard St.....	Shoe Cutter
Cattle, Edmund, No. Main St.....	Retired
Clark, S. Melvin, Allen St.....	Retired
Clark, James W., Liberty St.....	Shoemaker
Dyer, James M., North St.....	Farmer
Dowd, James, North St.....	Shoemaker
Daly, Michael J., M. P. Square.....	Agent
English, Nicholas, North St.....	Shoemaker
French, Fred M., No. Main St.....	Insurance
Forrest, Richard, North St.....	Shoemaker
Faunce, Hiram S., Union St.....	Janitor
Flaherty, Edward, Silver St.....	Laster
Good, Cornelius, North St.....	Laborer
Holbrook, Arthur H., M. P. Square.....	Carpenter
Holmes, Albert, Roel St.....	Retired
Hagar, Clarence L., West St.....	Laborer
Jones, Herbert A., North St.....	Shoemaker
Lyons, Walter H., No. Main St.....	Agent
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.....	Salesman

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Long, James F., Cottage St.....	Shoemaker
Leavitt, Wm. H., No. Main St.....	Bookkeeper
Mann, Edwin M., No. Main St.....	Wood Dealer
Mahady, William, North St.....	Laborer
Mann, Rufus E., Pleasant St.....	Laborer
Mann, Walter A., West St.....	Florist
Mahoney, Dennis F., West St.....	Retired
Marcillie, John C., Centre St.....	Laborer
Moore, Bernard, Howard St.....	Shoemaker
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel St.....	News Dealer
Payne, George A., North St.....	Shoemaker
Pope, David, Warren St.....	Retired
Quinn, Peter, North St.....	Shoemaker
Reynolds, George A., High St.....	Farmer
Riley, Francis, Liberty St.....	Laborer
Roel, George A., No. Main St.....	Electrician
Stetson, Francis E., North St.....	Farmer
Stetson, Thomas L., North St.....	Manufacturer
Shaw, Herman, So. Main St.....	Shoemaker
Wilbur, Herbert C., No. Main St.....	Shoemaker
Willard, John K., North St.....	Tallow Dealer

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER.

Selectmen.

Turner Free Library.

Trustees, 1908.

JOHN V. BEAL, President.

HENRY A. BELCHER, Vice-President.

N. IRVING TOLMAN, Treasurer.

WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, Secretary.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, CHARLES H. THAYER,

JOHN E. McDONALD,

SELECTMEN OF RANDOLPH, *Ex-Officiis*,

ASA P. FRENCH,

JOHN E. BRADLEY,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON, FRANK C. GRANGER.

MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH,

MRS. CLARA A. WALES,

MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE.

Librarian,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,

Assistant Librarian,

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER.

Public Library.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-second annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees, as seem of general interest.

The annual examination of the library was made by the Library Committee (consisting of Mr. John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach, Mrs. Clara A. Wales, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree and Mr. John E. Bradley), and the books, charts and furnishings were found in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Committee on Building (consisting of Messrs. Henry A. Belcher, Winthrop B. Atherton, Patrick H. McLaughlin, N. Irving Tolman and John E. McDonald), through their chairman, reports that the exterior of the building is in good repair, except the woodwork, which needs painting, but the portion used for library purposes is still in very bad condition. The committee repeats its recommendation of last year, that an appropriation should be made by the town to renovate the library rooms, in order to conform to the conditions of the donor's deed. It is hoped that the town at its next annual meeting will make an appropriation therefor.

The Committee on Finance (consisting of Messrs. Asa P.

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French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Herbert W. Pratt and Charles H. Thayer) reports as follows:

Randolph, Mass., January 1, 1909.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee, through its chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1908, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The committee has also examined the securities representing the investments of the library funds, and has found them intact and as shown by the annexed schedule. No change has been made in the investments during the past financial year.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

Schedule of Securities.

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	PAR VALUE
5 Boston Elevated Railway bonds.....	\$5,000 00
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bond...	1,000 00
2 Chicago & West Michigan R'y bonds.....	2,000 00
1 Old Colony Railroad bond.....	1,000 00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. bond.....	1,000 00
1 New York Central & Hudson River bond...	1,000 00
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western R. R. bonds	1,000 00
3 Union Pacific R. R. bonds.....	1,500 00
33 Shares pfd. stock Union Pacific R. R. Co....	3,300 00

The Royal W. Turner legacy is invested in:

10 Old Colony R. R. bonds.....	10,000 00
10 Wayne County, Mich., bonds.....	10,000 00
	\$36,800 00

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The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer are hereto subjoined, which show in detail the actual receipts and expenditures of the library and the usefulness and results obtained therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,
President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 1, 1909.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

To the Trustees of the Turner Library:

Ladies and Gentlemen,

My report of the Library and its work for the year 1908 is herewith submitted.

I can scarcely realize that nearly thirty-three years have passed since I assumed the duties of Librarian. That they have been pleasant years is very largely a resultant of two important and very essential conditions, viz: a fondness for and interest in the work; and secondly, the unfailing courtesy and encouragement by your Honorable Board.

Circulating Department.

During the year the Library has been open 274 days.

The total circulation of books for home use has been 25,040.

The daily average has been 91+.

The largest daily issue was on December 22, when 390 were taken.

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The smallest daily issue was on January 7, when 4 were taken.

The total number of accessioned books for the year has been 561, making the present number of volumes in the Library 21,791.

The number of registered card holders is now 1,690.

Our Library is no exception to the seemingly universal rule that far too much time and expense must be devoted to the Fiction Department, but it is the old, old story ever repeated; a problem in profit and loss, the satisfactory solution of which seems very difficult.

Reference Department.

It would be a pleasure could I furnish you a full and exhaustive report of what has been accomplished here. Suffice it to say, that intelligent and persistent use has been made of the valuable works stored in this room and it is very gratifying to know that there is an increasing number of the studious and thoughtful, who are earnest enough and ambitious enough to labor for more permanent improvement. Your Librarian is actively encouraging such investigation and his efforts seem well appreciated.

Reading Room.

For the first full year since the founding of the Library, the Reading Room has become what every well conducted Reading Room should be: a bright, cleanly, cheerful, well appointed room, in short, a quiet and restful place free to all who desire to enjoy and profit by its appointment.

Art Exhibit.

The Library has received and placed on exhibition fifteen collections of photographs, all furnished by the Massachusetts Art Club.

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Rise of Sculpture No. 1.—Rise of Sculpture No. 2—Corot. Jamaica—Famous Pictures No. 2.—Switzerland No. 1.—York. Babies in Art—New Brunswick—Mexico—Representative Art. Scotland No. 2.—Greece No. 3.—Birds—Hawaii.

Miss Belcher is giving excellent satisfaction and is proving herself a useful and faithful assistant.

Mr. Poole as custodian of the Reading Room is certainly "the right man in the right place."

Again thanking the Trustees for their unfailing kindness and indulgence, I remain,

Very respectfully,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,

Librarian.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

1908	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total, 1908	Total, 1907
Number of days open	26	24	25	25	25	26	9	13	25	26	24	26	274	274
Total circulation	2,293	2,289	2,625	2,384	2,180	2,424	757	927	1,767	2,174	2,575	2,845	25,040	22,038
Average daily circulation	88+	97	106	95	87	97	84	71	71	84	107	109	91+	81-
Date of largest circulation														
Largest circulation	379	228	322	275	281	265	325	140	253	348	340	390	390	336
Date of smallest circulation	Jan. 7													
Smallest circulation	4	34	20	25	26	31	41	25	30	30	34	37	4	5
Volumes added													561	624
Total volumes in library													21,791	21,230
Registered card holders													1,500	1,690
Fines collected													\$44.00	\$47.00
Reading room attendance*						444	224	322	558	788	1,035	886	4,257	

* Record began in June.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,
Librarian.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

January 1, 1909.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the by-laws, I herewith submit my annual report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library.

RECEIPTS.

Income Turner Fund.....	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund.....	800 00
Rent of Randolph Savings Bank.....	300 00
Rent, C. Fred Lyons.....	250 00
Rent, Ladies' Library Association.....	15 00
Fines and collections.....	35 00
Randolph Savings Bank fuel 1907.....	113 16
Interest bank deposit.....	1 26
Interest Boston Elevated bonds.....	225 00
Town Randolph insurance 1907.....	175 00
Balance January 1, 1908.....	447 33
	\$2,863 75

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid for books.....	\$330 41
Paid for periodicals.....	113 38
Paid for book binding.....	129 57
Salary of Librarian.....	500 00
Salary of Assistant Librarian.....	250 00
Salary of Janitor.....	137 50
Salary of Custodian.....	209 00
Electric light and lamps.....	126 89
Supplies.....	22 41

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Express.....	\$12 95
Repairs.....	62 65
Cleaning books and fixtures.....	100 00
Library Art Club.....	6 00
Fuel.....	249 50
Printing.....	7 00
Rent Safe Deposit box.....	10 00
Rent Post Office box.....	2 40
Insurance.....	262 50
Balance December 31, 1908.....	331 59
	\$2,863 75

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	EACH
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bond of....	\$1,000
2 Chicago & West Michigan bonds.....	1,000
1 Old Colony R. R. bond.....	1,000
1 Western Telephone & Telegraph bond of.....	1,000
1 New York Central & Hudson River R. R. bond of	1,000
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western R. R. bonds of	500
3 Union Pacific bonds of.....	500
33 Shares of the preferred stock of the Union Pacific R.R.	

The Royal W. Turner Legacy is invested in:

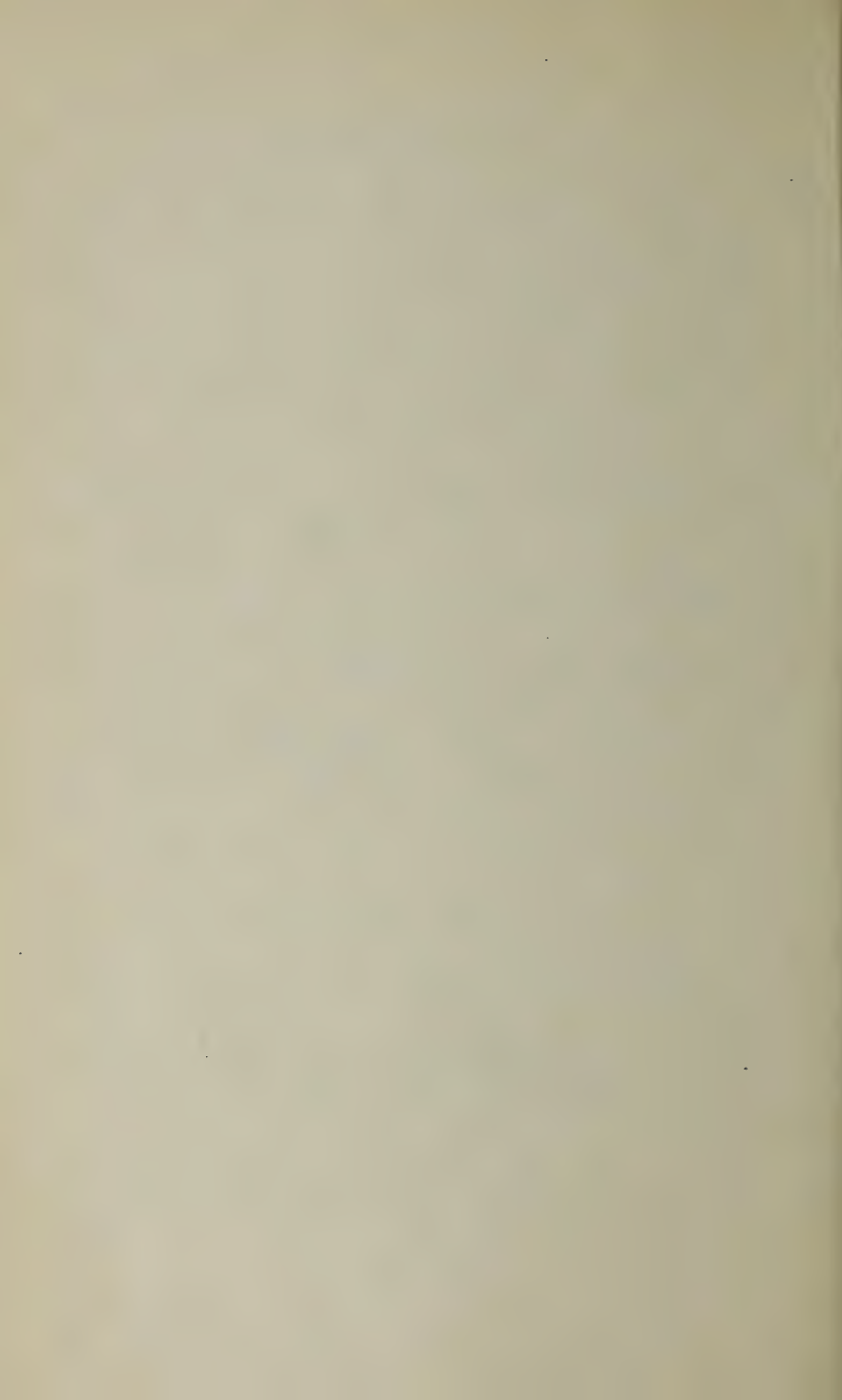
	EACH
10 Old Colony R. R. bonds of.....	\$1,000
10 Wayne County, Michigan, bonds of.....	1,000

The remaining funds of the Library are represented by:

5 Bonds Boston Elevated R. R. of \$1,000 each.

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN,
Treasurer.



ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR 1908

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

ROYAL T. MANN, Chairman.

REDMOND P. BARRETT, Secretary.

ROYAL T. MANN	Term expires 1909
REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1910
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1911

Trustees of the Stetson School Fund

ROYAL T. MANN, Chairman.

FRED M. FRENCH, Secretary.

ROYAL T. MANN	Term expires 1909
REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1910
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1911

Superintendent of Schools

WATSON C. LEA.

Residence, Holbrook.

Telephone, Randolph 48-1.

Office, School Committee Rooms.

Tuesday, 3 to 4 o'clock P. M.

Regular meeting of the School Committee last Friday of the month, 7.30 P. M.

School Calendar, 1909-1910

Open 4 January, 1909

Close 2 April	Vacation 2 weeks	13 weeks
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Open 20 April (term begins 19 April)

Close 25 June	Summer Vacation 10 weeks	10 weeks
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Open 7 September (term begins 6 September)

Close 17 December	Vacation 2 weeks	15 weeks
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Open 3 January, 1910

Close 18 March	Vacation 2 weeks	11 weeks
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Open 4 April

Close 24 June		12 weeks
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LEGAL HOLIDAYS in Term Time: 22 February, 1909; 19 April, 1909; 31 May (Monday) 1909;
6 September, 1909; Thanksgiving Day, 1909; 22 February, 1910; 19 April, 1910; 30 May, 1910.

Report of the School Committee.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The School Committee make and submit for your consideration their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1908.

During the summer vacation much needed repairs were made at the Tower Hill School.

The leaky condition of the roof made it necessary to shingle both sides. Two coats of outside paint were applied to the building, and a new fence was built on three sides of the lot, thus putting the property in better condition than it has been for some years.

At the North Grammar it was found necessary to build a new and much larger porch, to allow the new, outward-swinging door more space. A new fence was built on the south side of the lot, an improvement which was much needed.

At the Prescott building two rooms were thoroughly renovated.

The long deferred hopes and aspirations of the citizens of the town and its teachers and pupils are about to be realized, as the new High School building is now completed and will be ready for occupancy when the spring term opens.

Much new furniture, in addition to what the school already has, will be needed, for which a larger appropriation will be required, for supplies.

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We must also ask for an increase in the appropriation for fuel and care of rooms.

There are outstanding bills, which through delay in correction and re-verification we could not present for payment until after the Town Treasurer and Selectmen had closed their books, and which if paid would leave a very small balance. Therefore we ask that the balance, \$387.59, be appropriated to meet unpaid bills of 1908.

The school census, taken in September, 1908, shows the number of children between the ages of five and fifteen to be 721, a gain of 10 over 1907 and an increase of 92 since 1905.

A detailed statement of expenditures and receipts in this department for the year ending December 31, 1908, is annexed to this report.

The Committee ask the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the expenses of the school for the year ending December 31, 1909.

For Teaching.....	\$8,400 00
Care of rooms.....	1,000 00
Fuel.....	850 00
Books and supplies.....	1,400 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils.....	400 00
Superintendent of Schools.....	600 00
School Committee.....	300 00
Stetson High School.....	2,600 00
	\$16,650 00

Less estimate revenue from dog tax,
State School Fund and Coddington
Fund..... \$1,100 00

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State, for Superintendent of Schools	\$300 00	
State, for salaries of teachers.....	200 00	
		\$1,600 00
		\$15,050 00

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL T. MANN,
R. P. BARRETT,
EDWARD LONG,
School Committee.

It is with deep regret that we, the colleagues of Mr. Royal T. Mann of the School Board, learn of his decision to retire from office at the close of the present term.

We feel that his many years of service as chairman, his intimate knowledge of school affairs, the deep interest he felt in the welfare of the schools and the zeal which he displayed in the discharge of duty make his retirement a distinct loss to the school interests of the town.

R. P. BARRETT,
EDWARD LONG,
School Committee.

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS, 1908.

For Teaching (38 weeks).

Paid Nelson Freeman.....	\$1,000 00
Joseph Belcher.....	1,000 00
Katherine A. Kiley.....	488 00

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Paid Ellen P. Henry.....	\$459 87
Hannah F. Hoye.....	450 00
Katherine E. Sheridan.....	437 00
Mary E. Wren.....	418 00
Ellen E. McLaughlin.....	418 00
Kitty R. Molloy.....	418 00
Fannie A. Campbell.....	418 00
Sarah C. Belcher.....	418 00
Clara A. Tolman (25 weeks).....	275 00
Fanny Devine.....	418 00
Ina L. Parlin.....	418 00
Katherine J. Riley.....	418 00
Ellen R. Farrington (13 weeks).....	143 00
Clara L. Harlow.....	156 00
Rose G. Hand.....	125 00
	\$7,877 87

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid Watson C. Lea.....	\$600 00
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FUEL FOR SCHOOLS.

Paid D. B. White, coal.....	\$201 75
B. F. Hayden, coal.....	218 84
M. E. Leahy, coal.....	276 50
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	38 25
M. E. Leahy, wood.....	34 00
	\$769 34

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CONVEYING PUPILS.

Paid Old Colony St. Railway.....	\$310 00
W. L. Paul.....	30 00
	\$340 00

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Paid American Book Co.....	\$226 42
Ginn & Co.....	219 98
J. L. Hammet Co.....	131 28
Remington Typewriter Co.....	104 20
Smith Premier Typewriter Co.....	37 75
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins.....	90 05
L. E. Knott Appr. Co.....	72 74
M. A. Atherton.....	39 00
D. C. Heath Co.....	30 52
Silver Burdett Co.....	37 54
Houghton Mifflin Co.....	36 87
E. E. Babb Co.....	31 01
Educational Publishing Co.....	10 00
Carter Rice Co.....	13 23
Thorpe & Martin.....	9 61
Milton Bradley Co.....	4 89
Adams Cushing & Foster.....	3 05
O. Ditson Co.....	2 05
Allyn & Bacon.....	2 00
Hunt Pen Co.....	1 50
A. B. Dick Co.....	14 00
W. C. Lea, cash paid.....	14 73
	\$1,132 42

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CARE OF ROOMS.

Paid John P. Rooney.....	\$368 00
S. M. Clark.....	184 00
A. S. Frier.....	80 00
Wm. H. Carroll.....	39 58
Eleanor Holbrook.....	43 00
A. W. Alden.....	6 00
	\$720 58

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Paid Royal T. Mann.....	\$100 00
R. P. Barrett.....	100 00
Edward Long.....	100 00
	\$300 00

GENERAL EXPENSE.

Paid Dexter Clark.....	\$1 00
Taunton Lumber Co.....	4 49
Standard Printing Co.....	10 85
Albert E. Perry.....	1 10
E. A. Perry.....	44 48
Wm. Carroll.....	8 85
M. E. Leahy.....	7 00
Timothy Lyons.....	9 90
Fred M. French, Insurance.....	22 00

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Paid H. W. Pratt, insurance.....	\$25 00
Jos. T. Leahy, insurance.....	15 00
E. W. Campagna.....	143 27
John P. Rooney.....	32 85
Royal T. Mann.....	5 62
M. K. Hill.....	22 40
W. E. Sheldon.....	12 25
Randolph and Holbrook Electric Light Co....	40 21
F. W. Hayden.....	5 47
P. H. McLaughlin.....	1 88
Nelson Freeman, cash paid.....	1 00
Joseph Belcher, cash paid.....	1 12
Ellen R. Farrington.....	6 97
Register Publishing Co.....	4 00
R. E. O'Brien.....	138 77
Geo. A. Roel.....	2 00
C. A. Lyman.....	7 50
O. C. Piano Co.—G. Washburn.....	3 00
Jas. F. Hurley.....	94 00
Andrew Hayes.....	7 50
H. F. Libby.....	124 78
Geo. F. Taylor.....	85 63
A. S. Frier.....	38 75
Baldwin & Robbin.....	1 13
D. J. Green Co.....	2 00
H. C. Dimond.....	3 50
Wm. McElwain.....	15 50
W. J. Dobbinson.....	8 00
Stone & Forsyth.....	6 25
W. F. Barrett.....	20 00
F. J. Donohue.....	20 00
E. L. Payne.....	20 00
Wm. Dear.....	12 50
Estate C. H. Nichols.....	28 23

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Paid C. F. Lyons.....	\$23 02
Jas. Fardy.....	1 50
Eugene Thayer.....	5 77
C. D. Hill.....	1 19
	\$1,097 23

SUMMARY.

Appropriation (net).....	\$13,625 00
Rec'd. City of Boston—Tuition.....	19 00
State Board Charity Tuition.....	156 00
State on acct. Superintendent.....	500 00
Massachusetts School Fund.....	868 80
Interest Coddington Fund.....	64 00
Dog tax.....	492 23
Total.....	\$15,725 03

EXPENSES.

Paid for Teaching.....	\$7,877 87
Superintendent.....	600 00
Fuel.....	769 34
Conveying pupils.....	340 00
Books and supplies.....	1,132 42
Care of rooms.....	720 58
General expense.....	1,097 23
School Committee.....	300 00
Sec'y. Trustees S. H. S. Fund.....	2,500 00
Total.....	\$15,337 44
Balance.....	\$387 59

Stetson School Fund.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

There has been no change in the investment of this fund since our last annual report. The fund now is invested as follows, the valuation being at par:

4 Shares State National Bank.....	\$400 00
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank.....	1,000 00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank.....	800 00
5 Shares New England National Bank.....	500 00
7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% bonds	7,000 00
2 Boston & Maine 4% bonds.....	2,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4% bonds	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.....	3,312 66
1 Piano in Stetson Hall.....	200 00
	\$19,212 66

The Turner Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis, Minn., bond, \$1,000.00. The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is hereunto annexed.

Respectfully submitted,

ROYAL T. MANN,
R. P. BARRETT,
EDWARD LONG,

Trustees Stetson School Fund.

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Randolph, January 26, 1909.

The undersigned, Selectmen of Randolph, having this day made an examination of the accounts of the Trustees of the Stetson High School Fund for the year 1908, find them correct.

The investments for the fund are as follows, viz:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% joint bonds at \$1,000.....	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds at \$1,000.....	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4% bonds at \$1,000...	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.....	3,312 66
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank.....	1,000 00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank.....	800 00
5 Shares New England National Bank.....	500 00
4 Shares State National Bank.....	400 00
Piano in Stetson Hall.....	200 00
	\$19,212 66

We also find in the hands of the Secretary a \$1,000 bond of the City of Minneapolis, Minn., the investment for the Turner Fund.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

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THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH

1908.		
To balance of old account	\$42 83	
town appropriation for the year	2,500 00	
bank dividends, Atlantic	\$60 00	
Webster & Atlas	52 00	
Old Boston	50 00	
Boylston	40 00	
New England	30 00	
State	28 00	
		\$260 00
interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds	80 00	
interest on Am. Telephone and Telegraph bonds	80 00	
interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds	80 00	
rent of hall for the year	137 00	
		\$3,379 83

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THE STETSON HIGH SCHOOL FUND.

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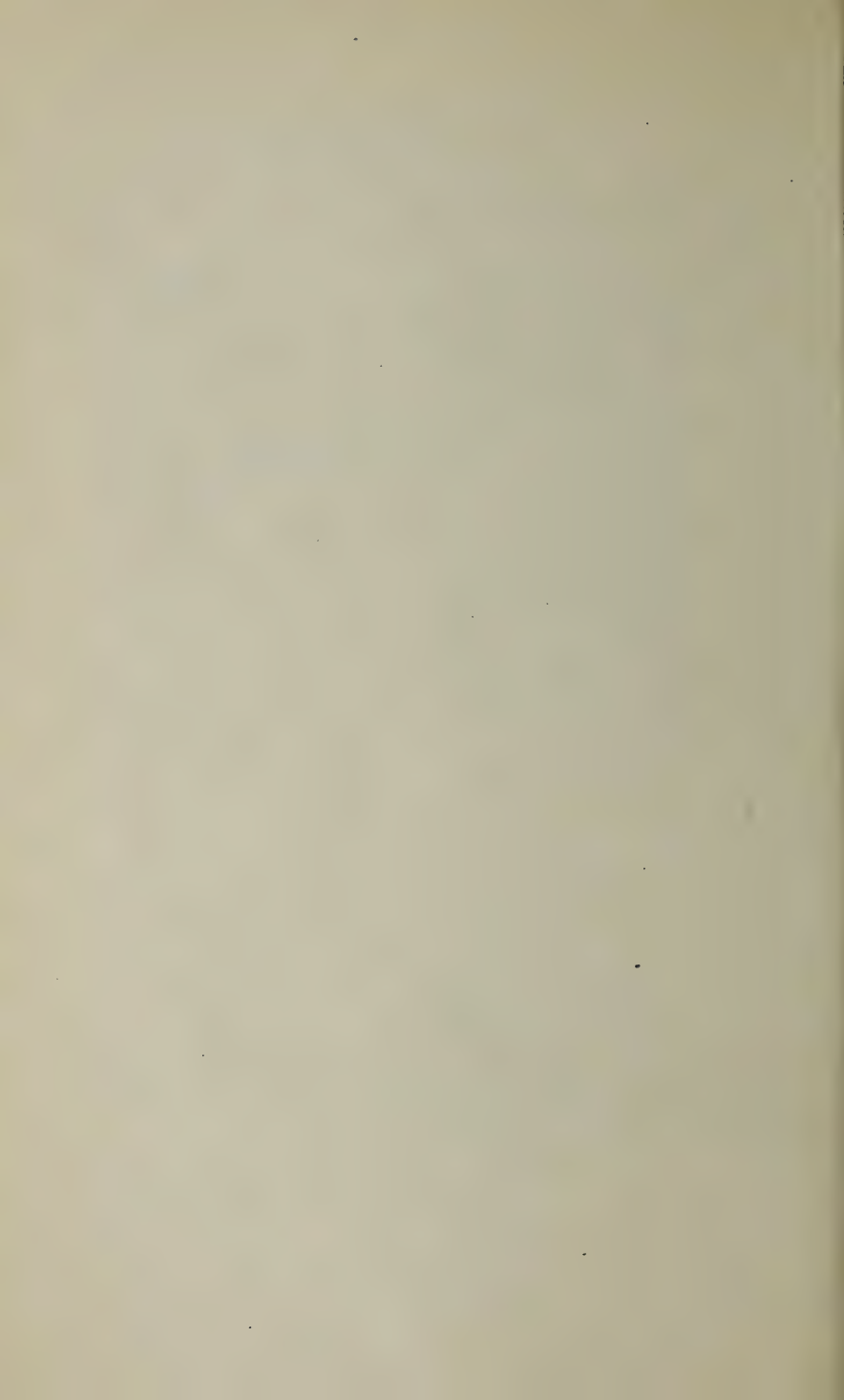
1908.

By paying F. E. Chapin, salary to Dec. 31	\$1,399 92
Nellie M. Stearns, salary to Dec. 31	549 96
Katherine F. Garrity, salary to June 30	332 87
Blanche M. Gavin, salary to Dec. 31	217 09
Mary W. Henderson, salary to June 30	145 20
Gladys S. Jennison, salary to Dec. 31	94 71
Rose G. Hand, musical instructor	75 00
Arthur W. Alden, janitor	112 00
Estate of Charles Doughty, lighting and supplies	99 05
Register Publishing Co., printing	81 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor and material	69 13
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	20 30
Edward A. Perry, labor	22 05
Edwin M. Mann, wood	24 00
M. E. Leahy, coal	35 00
M. E. Leahy, cleaning vault	5 00
Dexter T. Clark, repairing clocks	4 00
George V. Higgins, M. D., services	5 00
George H. Glover, tuning pianos	5 00
Old Colony Piano Co., tuning pianos	5 00
Frank F. Smith, charcoal	12 80
Edson N. Roel, labor	5 80
Trustees and secretary, services	20 00
Balance	39 95
	\$3,379.83

RANDOLPH, JANUARY 26, 1909.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the secretary of the Stetson School Fund and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.



REPORT

OF THE

Superintendent of Schools

Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

Randolph, December 31, 1908.

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I submit herewith my second annual report, the eighth in the series of superintendents' reports.

SUMMARY FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1908.

Population of Randolph, census of 1905..... 4,034
Children between the ages of 5 and 15, school census

September, 1908:

Boys.....	357
Girls.....	364
Total.....	721

Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of compulsory attendance), school census September, 1908:

Boys.....	264
Girls.....	285
Total.....	549

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Number enrolled in all schools:

Boys.....	350
Girls.....	366
Total.....	716
Average membership.....	674
Average attendance.....	640
Per cent. of attendance based on average membership	95
Number of pupils under 5 years of age.....	11
Number of pupils between 5 and 15.....	664
Number of pupils between 7 and 14.....	474
Number of pupils over 15.....	44
Number not absent, tardy or dismissed.....	39
Number not absent or tardy (exclusive of preceding item)	12
Number of grade promotions.....	581
Number of school buildings.....	6
Number of schools keeping separate registers.....	16
Number of regular teachers.....	18
Number of special teachers:	
(a) Drawing—1. (b) Music—1. (c) Stenography and Typewriting—1. Total.....	3
Number of teachers who have graduated from college	3
Number of teachers who have graduated from Normal School.....	5
Number who have attended Normal School without graduating.....	1
Number of different pupils attending High School dur- ing the year 1907–1908.....	103
Number graduated from High School in June, 1908:	
Boys, 3. Girls, 10. Total.....	13
Number admitted to High School in September, 1907:	
Boys, 22. Girls, 28. Total.....	50
Number graduated from the eighth grade in June, 1908	55

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ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FOR SEVEN YEARS.

Year ending June 30, 1902.....	715
Year ending June 30, 1903.....	695
Year ending June 30, 1904.....	712
Year ending June 30, 1905.....	699
Year ending June 30, 1906.....	726
Year ending June 30, 1907.....	729
Year ending June 30, 1908.....	716

ATTENDANCE.

Attendance, always good, has improved in the past year. With a smaller enrollment for 1908 than for 1907 (716 against 729), we have a larger average attendance—640 against 623.

The average per cent. of attendance for the town for September, October and November, 1908, is 97.21, as against 95.81 for the same months in 1907.

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SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS—1908.

The tests have been made by our teachers during the fall term of 1908, in accordance with the law, using the methods and apparatus therein required. The results are indicated in the following table:

TABLE I
SUMMARY OF SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS
RANDOLPH, 1908-1909

Schools	Number of pupils enrolled	Number with defective eyesight	Number with defective hearing	Number of parents and guardians notified	Remarks
Stetson High	118	19	7	24	10 others wear glasses
Prescott 8	38	4*	2	3	*3 of these wear glasses
7	38	2	0	0	These 2 wear glasses
6	49	8	0	3	Six with glasses
5	50	6	4	10	
4	41	7	0	5	
3	43	10	0	9	
2	48	2	0	1	
1	56	3	0	2	
North 7-8 }	216	60	22	32	
6 }					
5 }					
3-4 }	20	1	0	0	Has glasses
1-2 }					
Tower Hill 1-4	31	2	3	5	
West Corner 1-3					
Totals	748	125	38	94	

Inspection of these figures shows that about one-quarter of the pupils in the High School have defective sight.

Ten High School pupils have glasses which probably correct the trouble largely, but nineteen others have more or less defective eyes as yet unprovided for. The record of the examination shows that a few of these are very bad, the vision ranging from one-fifth to one twenty-fifth of normal in one or both eyes.

Two cases of entire blindness in one eye are reported, whether from accident or from other cause is not stated.

One-sixth of the entire town enrollment is reported as having more or less defective sight, while between five and six per cent. are defective in hearing. This, while serious, is a better showing than that of the state at large in 1906, its averages then being 22.3 per cent. for eyes and 6.3 per cent. for ears (p. 89, Seventy-first Report of Massachusetts Board of Education).

GENERAL RESULTS OF TESTS IN RANDOLPH.

Three annual tests of the eyes and ears of pupils have now been made by our teachers in obedience to the law of 1906, and the records preserved for study and comparison.

Inquiry of the Principals shows that on the whole the parents have responded most commendably to the notices of defects. Exact figures are not available, but there seems to be no doubt that much good has been accomplished. Children have been taken to oculists or to eye and ear dispensaries or clinics at hospitals in or near Boston. Thus treated, they are now doing their school work successfully, and in bodily comfort. Much still remains to be done. The state report above referred to says:

“Many parents cannot afford to have suitable glasses for their children. Every school committee should deal with this problem in a systematic and business-like way. Arrangements should be made with reputable oculists to furnish suitable glasses at a minimum price, and means should be found to pay for them. If the money appropriated for the schools cannot be used for them, private charity should be invoked for the purpose.”

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In conclusion it may be said that we are not likely to overestimate the importance of caring for the eyes and ears as well as the general health of our children. The conviction is rapidly growing that the development of healthy, vigorous bodies in the rising generation is a matter of gravest public responsibility.

NEW EQUIPMENT.

In order to secure earlier mastery of the mechanics of reading, together with better interpretation and expression, the method and apparatus used in the primary schools of Newton, and widely adopted in New England, have just been placed in our first two grades.

Some new supplementary reading, such as Scudder's "Life of Washington," has been placed in the eighth grade. More is greatly needed. A new and up-to-date series of arithmetics has been placed in all grades except the first and second. New language books have been selected and will be put in shortly. The course of study in this subject is in process of revision.

SPELLING.

It is often said that the children of today do not spell so well as those who went to school with our fathers and grandfathers. It is feared, and probably with some reason, that the tendency to crowd the curriculum with new subjects makes for superficial work. Opinions differ on this point, however.

It may be of interest, therefore, to examine carefully the results of a test in spelling which was first given by Mr. Samuel

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Parish, Second Principal of Springfield, Mass., High School, in 1846, to his eighty-five pupils. The papers written by these pupils have been preserved. This same test was given to the one hundred and ten pupils of Stetson High School present on the morning of December 18, 1908. No previous notice or preparation was had. The following table shows the two sets of results:

TABLE II

SPRINGFIELD, 1846				RANDOLPH, 1908			
	Times correct	Times incorrect	Per cent correct	Number of words	Times correct	Times incorrect	Per cent correct
1 Accidental	61	24	71	1	103	7	93
2 Accessible	31	54	36	2	57	53	51
3 Baptism	54	31	63	3	99	11	90
4 Chirography	30	55	35	4	17	93	15
5 Characteristic	39	46	45	5	96	14	87
6 Deceitfully	40	45	47	6	85	25	77
7 Descendant	24	61	28	7	62	48	56
8 Eccentric	39	46	45	8	65	45	59
9 Evanescent	17	68	20	9	3	107	2
10 Fierceness	42	43	49	10	90	20	81
11 Feignedly	28	57	32	11	59	51	53
12 Ghastliness	23	62	27	12	61	49	55
13 Gnawed	33	52	38	13	81	29	73
14 Heiress	42	43	49	14	94	16	85
15 Hysterics	40	45	47	15	74	36	67
16 Imbecility	50	35	58	16	54	56	49
17 Inconceivable	20	65	23	17	60	50	54
18 Inconvenience	32	53	36	18	44	66	40
19 Inefficient	33	52	38	19	73	37	66
20 Irresistible	13	72	15	20	31	79	28
Total per cent correct, 40				Total per cent correct, 59			

From this table it is seen that the children in Stetson High School spell about fifty per cent. better than did those of sixty years ago. This improvement has undoubtedly come, not because of more time spent in formal study of spelling (we actually spend much less), but because we do vastly more reading and writing, both in and out of school than was done half a century ago.

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Expert investigators tell us that the eye is the most important avenue through which we learn to spell; the ear next; the motor speech apparatus next, and the nerves which control the writing muscles last. Any one of these avenues used alone will produce poorer results than if all are used. Hence a careful and thorough training of eye and ear through phonics is necessary in the first two or three years of school, then a combination of oral and written spelling, based on thorough study of a good spelling-book, continued through the rest of the eight grades, with perhaps an advanced book for the high school.

These things being done, accuracy in spelling is likely to vary with the general abilities of the pupils, and with the amount of reading and writing they habitually do.

TURNER ART EXHIBITS.

Last June an exhibition of two hundred pictures from the Horace K. Turner Company, Boston, was held in both the Prescott and North Grammar Schools. Literary and musical programs and candy sales were given in connection. The people responded most generously, and some eighty or ninety dollars were secured at each building for the purchase of pictures for the school rooms.

SEWING AND WHITTILING.

A beginning in the teaching of sewing in our schools has just been inaugurated by the Ladies' Library Association of

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Randolph. Fifteen members of this body have volunteered to carry on the work in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the Prescott and North Grammar Schools. One hour and a quarter per week on Friday afternoons from 2.45 until 4 o'clock has been set apart for the purpose. The work has been carefully planned, the teachers are giving their hearty co-operation, and great interest is being shown by all concerned. An exhibition of the work, to which the parents will be invited, is to be held in May.

In the eighth grade at the North Grammar School some whittling has been attempted, with such tools and materials as could be found at home. A variety of useful articles have been designed and made by the pupils.

THE AGES OF OUR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The immaturity of many of the pupils in the High School, and the too general tendency to send beginners to school at the earliest possible age were discussed in the last report.

About the first of the present month (December, 1908), both the Bureau of Education at Washington and our own State Board of Education took up this subject. Questions were sent out to the superintendents of the country and of Massachusetts.

Instructions from Washington were as follows: "Give the number of pupils in your schools in each grade of each age. If possible, take this census on *one* day the first week in December, 1908." This information was furnished by the teach-

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ers December 1, 1908, on a special blank. The answers are tabulated as follows:

TABLE III-a

AGES OF BOYS

Grade	UNDER 5	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
I	1	27	21	3											
II		1	21	13	9	1	1								
III			1	14	9	9	2	1							
IV					17	8	7	4		1					
V					2	17	16	7	4	3					
VI							14	11	10	3					
VII							1	9	6	6					
VIII								1	5	13	7	5	3		
IX H. S.										4	6	9			
X H. S.										3	5	3	2	1	
XI H. S.													3	1	
XII H. S.											1	1	3	2	

TABLE III-b

AGES OF GIRLS

Grade	UNDER 5	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
I	1	24	15	1											
II		1	10	18	5	2									
III			1	9	12	7	2								
IV				3	14	7	6	1							
V						15	13	3	2		1				
VI						1	16	12	6	4	2				
VII							2	14	5	5	3				
VIII								1	15	8	3	3	1		
IX H. S.									1	17	9	1	2		
X H. S.									1	2	11	4	1		
XI H. S.											2	6	2	2	
XII H. S.												1	3	1	

From the above it is seen that there were 93 children enrolled in the first grade on the first of December, 1908, and that 57 per cent. of them were even then under six years of age.

The object of the inquiry by the Massachusetts Board of Education was to ascertain the age at entrance of each beginner entering in September, 1908. This information was secured

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by the teachers of the entire district. The most important points are as follows:

TABLE IV

Towns	Number of children entering Grade I in Sept. 1908	Average Age at entrance	Number under 5 years at entrance
Holbrook	47	5 yrs. 8 mos.	2
Avon	41	5 yrs. 7 mos.	4
Randolph	77	5 yrs. 6 mos.	12

Referring again to Tables III(a) and (b), it is seen that in the High School on December 1, 1908, 37 out of 49 (75 per cent.) first-year pupils were still under fifteen, and 45 per cent. were under fourteen. In September, 1908, the Principal stated that the average age of the entire school was fourteen years and eight months.

While the figures for the rest of the state obtained by the Massachusetts inquiry are not yet available, there are some which may afford a partial basis of comparison.

As stated in last year's Town Report, p. 82, the great majority of Boston children do not enter grade one until nearly or quite six years of age. Providence does not admit at all until the age of six. Worcester, Mass., the second city of the state, has recently raised the age of admission to grade one to six years. A number of other towns in Massachusetts containing large mills and factories, such as Northbridge, have done the same. The superintendent of another large Massachusetts city not so far away states that the age of admission there will probably not be raised from five to six at present *because that in about one-half of that city the children have no place but the street in which to spend leisure time.* For the other half of the city he would much prefer to have the children enter school at six. "There is no question," says this able superintendent, "that, *educationally*, the age of six is

better than that of five." Out of 49 states and territories of the United States, 32 do not legally admit until six, or even seven and eight years of age. (Report of United States Commissioner of Education for 1907, Vol. II, p. 548.) Children do not *enter* high school in Boston until they are as old as the average age of our entire high school.

But many will ask, "Why take so much trouble to show that our children, grade for grade, are younger than the average elsewhere? What difference does it make any way? Teachers tell us that the youngest in the class are the brightest. Most people are proud when their children enter high school at eleven or twelve years of age."

A book might be written in answer to this and closely related questions. Some have been. (See "Growth and Education," by John M. Tyler, Professor of Biology at Amherst College.)

Briefly, the proper age at which to place a little child under the bodily restraints of school should not be determined solely by finding the earliest moment at which he can learn the alphabet. Neither should it be governed by the natural desire of many mothers to be rid as soon as possible of the care of their children. The chief and all-important business of the child is to grow, and to develop a body that will insure success later under the tremendous strain of modern life—a task now of increasing difficulty. Too early confinement in a school room or anywhere indoors is at best an interference with nature's processes.

"Schmid-Monnard tells us that the growth of the German child is always lessened, and sometimes completely arrested during the first year of school life. He emphasizes the danger to the youngest and most precocious children, and tells us that a larger proportion of these drop out by the way. When we arrest growth we strike at the root of all possible future development, as well as of power and efficiency. . . . Every

ounce of strength and vitality gained during infancy and early childhood increases at compound interest during each successive year." ("Growth and Education," page 250.)

In the age-long process of the evolution of animals, including the human species, the larger vital organs and the tough muscular system came first, the complex and delicate brain and nerve structure last. The development of each individual child follows roughly the same order. To attempt, therefore, to develop and train the higher brain centers without laying deep and strong the foundation of heart, lungs, stomach and muscles, is to lessen the natural resistance of the body to disease and to invite nervous weakness and collapse.

I therefore recommend that, if a sub-primary or kindergarten grade be impossible, the age for admission of beginners to grade one be placed at six years.

SCHOOL HYGIENE, MEDICAL INSPECTION, TUBERCULOSIS AND ITS PREVENTION.

These allied subjects have assumed world-wide importance within a few years, and public interest therein is rapidly increasing.

The Second International Congress of School Hygiene was held in London, August 5-9, 1907. Massachusetts was represented at the Congress by the Secretary of the State Board of Education. By far the larger part of that officer's last report is devoted to the above topics. Chapter 502 of the Acts of 1906 requires the appointment of school physicians in all towns and cities of Massachusetts. This law, as amended in April, 1908, is mandatory. Public opinion seems to approve, and compliance is general. By January, 1908, but

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68 towns and cities out of 354 had not appointed school physicians. In December, 1908, all but the following 28 had done so.

TOWNS:—Acushnet	Otis
Blackstone	Randolph
Braintree	Reading
Chilmark	Sandisfield
Edgartown	Sandwich
Gay Head	Shrewsbury
Georgetown	Southborough
Gosnold	Southwick
Holbrook	Tolland
Merrimac	Topsfield
Middleboro	Truro
Mount Washington	Westfield
New Ashford	West Tisbury
Wilmington	

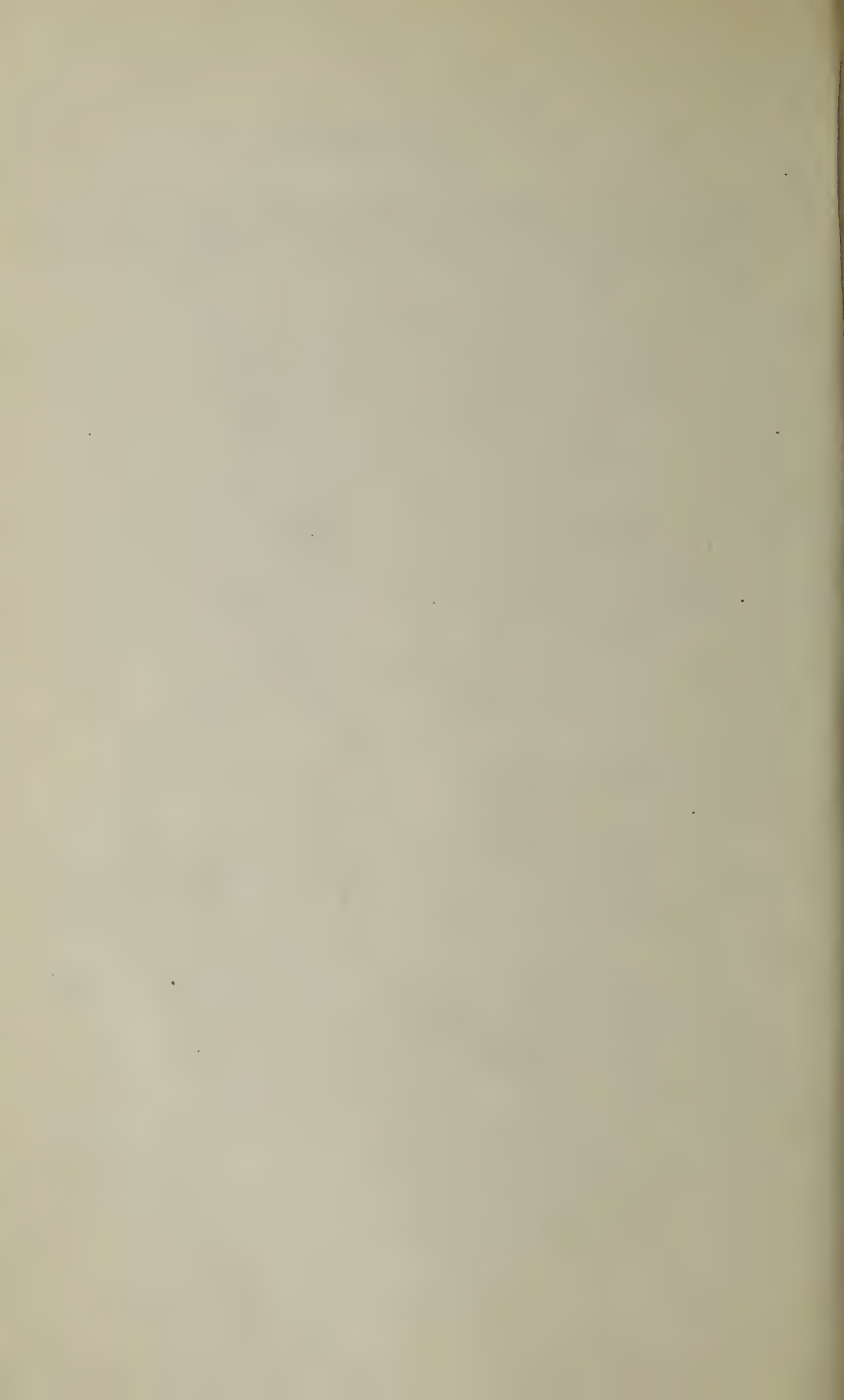
CITIES:—Lowell

By Chapter 181, Acts of 1908, "instruction as to tuberculosis and its prevention" has been added to the list of school subjects required by law to be taught. The essentials of the matter are given in a small pamphlet of about 20 pages, prepared for teachers by six eminent Boston specialists. This has been furnished free by the State Board of Education.

With grateful acknowledgment of cordial co-operation from the Committee and Teachers, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON C. LEA.



APPENDIX

TO THE REPORT

OF THE

Superintendent of Schools

SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT

TABULAR STATEMENT, 1907-1908

Schools	Grades	Teachers	Total enrollment	Boys	Girls	Average membership	Average attendance	Per cent of attendance	Pupils not absent, tardy, or dismissed	Grade promotions
Stetson High	XII	F. E. Chapin, Principal	13	3	10	98.51	94.18	95.6	7	13
	XI	Nellie M. Stearns	13	8	5					13
	X	Katherine F. Garrity	25	8	17					19
	IX	Mary W. Henderson	52	22	30					35
	VIII	Nelson Freeman	39	17	22					33
Prescott	VII	Katherine A. Kiley	39	19	20	38.05	37.41	98.31	9	33
	VI	Hannah F. Hoye	40	15	25	35.93	34.77	96.76	2	35
	V	Katherine E. Sheridan	49	24	25	40.67	37.92	94.33	1	36
	IV	Mary E. Wren	50	33	17	45	42.83	95	2	41
	III	Ellen E. McLaughlin	40	21	19	46.63	44.47	95.37	2	41
North	III	Fannie A. Campbell	40	21	19	39.08	38.77	94.07	3	34
	II	Kittie R. Molloy	49	25	24	42.8	40.44	94.48	3	37
	I	Joseph Belcher	52	33	19	48	46	95	1	37
	VIII	Joseph Belcher	23	8	15	53.35	50.96	95.51	7	22
	VII	Ellen P. Henry	31	19	12	31.35	28.94	92.31	2	17
Tower Hill	VI	Sarah C. Belcher	24	6	18	23.75	22.02	92.71	1	23
	V	Fannie M. Devine	31	18	13	43	40.08	93.2	1	27
	IV	Fannie M. Devine	13	9	4	39.27	35.74	90.88	1	11
	III	{ Clara A. Tolman	15	8	7					15
	II	{ Ellen Farrington	27	12	15					14
I	Katherine J. Riley	4	0	4	6					
West Corner	IV	Katherine J. Riley	6	1	5					18.11	16.65	91.93		4
	III	Katherine J. Riley	3	2	1	4				
	II	Katherine J. Riley	10	6	4	6				
	I	Katherine J. Riley	14	5	9	6				
	III	Ina L. Parlin	12	5	7	30.61	29.33	95.81	11	
West Corner	II	Ina L. Parlin	9	6	3	674.11	640.51	95	39	10
	I	Ina L. Parlin	9	6	3					7
		Totals	716	350	366					581

Roll of Honor, 1907-1908.

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NOT ABSENT, TARDY OR DISMISSED.

A. For 3 terms.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Mary Barry	Mary Leahy
Joseph Heney	Michael J. O'Neil
Norman E. Jones	Herbert A. Towns
Almira May White	

PRESCOTT VIII.

Thomas Desmond	Anna Morgan
Madeleine Dillon	Thomas Mulligan
Rosamond Hagney	Gladys Porter
Charles Kiley	May Spence
Ellen Stanton	

PRESCOTT VII.

George Dolan	Bennie Scannell
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PRESCOTT VI.

Annie Madigan

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PRESCOTT V.

Mary Danto

Paul Faxon

PRESCOTT IV.

Letitia Scannell

Russell Towns

PRESCOTT II.

Agnes Britton

Lillian Purcell

Richard Walsh

PRESCOTT I.

Mary O'Brien

NORTH VII-VIII.

Gertrude E. Meany

Gertrude Kelley

A. Elizabeth Larsen

Ellinor Smith

Lillian Converse

Clarence Claff

Sumner Eddy

NORTH VI.

Rena J. Wisley

Ralph E. DeForest

NORTH V.

Vivian Shurtliff

NORTH III-IV.

Harold K. Eddy

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NORTH I-II.

Carl Bustard

B. For 2 terms.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Rhea B. Hogan	Joseph McMahon
Mary A. Linnehan	Marion Meany
Ellis Hall Mann	Edward J. Morgan
Blanche C. Marcille	Elizabeth Sheehan
Mary L. Marcille	John R. Willard
Richard A. Barrett	

PRESCOTT VIII.

Willie Cunningham	Lucien Hogan
Terence Dargan	Svea Johnson
Leo Dench	Hugh McCabe
Harry Dolan	Alice Shepard
Edward Fahey	Helen Sullivan
Walter Farrell	Marie Sullivan
Margaret Gill	Mary Tierney

PRESCOTT VII.

James Condon	Joseph Crowley
Kathleen Donavan	

PRESCOTT VI.

Alice Manning	May Morgan
Aloysius Murphy	

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PRESCOTT V.

Dwight Boyd	Walter McCabe
Joseph Dench	Peter Madigan
Harold McDonald	Edward Sullivan

PRESCOTT IV.

Marion Leavitt	John O'Brien
Mary Sheridan	John Purcell
Joseph Condon	Sigfrid Bolin
James Donavan	Arthur Brennan
Edward Johnson	Chas. Cunningham

PRESCOTT III.

Herbert Guild	Louis Mulligan
John Gill	Albert Bolin
Frank Mahoney	Gertrude Flanagan
Mary O'Leary	

PRESCOTT I.

Frank Moore

NORTH VII-VIII.

Alberta Bustard	Lillian Converse
Alice Connell	Rena M. Libby
Edna B. Rhodes	Susie M. Chase
W. Jennie Mann	Viola B. Holbrook
Norman Smith	

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NORTH VI.

Ervenia L. Rhodes	Herman McGrath
William H. Carroll	Arthur C. Roel

NORTH III-IV.

Heiman Greenberg	Harold K. Eddy
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NORTH I-II.

Carleton Wrisley

C. For 1 term.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Ralph N. Boyd	Frank H. Bromade
Walter Coddens	Elizabeth R. DeNeill
Charles G. Devine	Joseph M. French
Alice M. Hayden	Gertrude Henneberry
Geraldine B. Kennedy	Anna M. Long
Evelyn Mahan	Mary L. Mahan
John J. Mahoney	James McDonald
Mary K. McMahon	Joseph M. Murphy
Elizabeth O'Neil	Florence S. Roddan
Mabel L. Scott	Charles A. Spence
Kathleen C. Uniac	Granville H. Wright

PRESCOTT VIII.

Annie Carroll	Margaret Laughlin
Hazel Champion	Abbie Lyons
Florence Foster	Emilie Reynolds
Ella Heney	Roy Robbins
Anna Walsh	

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PRESCOTT VII.

Grace Brennan	Henry Manning
Evelyn Carney	Mary Rooney
Edward Foley	Martin Young

PRESCOTT VI.

Helen Brady	Thomas O'Keefe
Frances Brady	Gertrude Sullivan
Peter Collins	James Tierney
Thomas Dowd	Esther Vaughn
William Flannery	John Walsh
Alice Keith	Arthur Williams
Frank Mahoney	Arthur Shepard
Lillian McAuliffe	Frank Desmond

PRESCOTT V.

David Goode	Daisy McLeer
James Dowd	Ethel Pettee
Barbara Hoye	Anna Wallace
Mary Laughlin	Arthur Curtis
Alice Marcille	Fabian Hogan

PRESCOTT IV.

Everett Madan	Henry Morgan
Walter O'Leary	Leona Hogan
Bertram Kenyon	Adelaide Murphy
Joseph Gill	Alice Tierney

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PRESCOTT III.

Walter Good	Anna Brady
Emery Delano	Mary Clark
George McCabe	Margaret Foley
Charles Mullins	Anna Leahy

PRESCOTT I.

Gertrude Hern	Raymond Purcell
Dorothy Carney	Leo Trombley
Mary Leroy	Henry McDermot
Reginald Hogan	Josephine McDermot
Arthur Kane	Edw. Brennan
Jos. Loughlin	Amy Campbell
Russell Leavitt	Minnie Cantwell
John Moore	Timothy Lyons
Frank Morgan	

NORTH VII-VIII.

Arthur H. Lyons	Mary E. Schultz
Ruth Walsh	Anna C. Larson
William Mann	Mahlon Wood
Marie E. White	Harold H. Eddy
Henry N. Schultz	Leo R. Dee
Olive B. Mann	Earl C. Harris
Frank E. Lyons	

NORTH VI.

Flora L. Burrell	Bertha E. Teed
Alta N. Payne	Raymond L. Mason

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NORTH V.

Rose L. Meaney	Gertrude Mahan
Laura G. Holbrook	Mary Patten

NORTH III-IV.

Chester Claff	Gladys DeForest
Rosella Stetson	Ida Greenberg
John Bustard	Hazel G. Stetson
Douglass Mann	John Curry
Inez Abbott	Allen Davidson
William Davidson	Carlton Lyons
Dale Nelson	James Mann

NORTH I-II.

Mary Currie	Kate Currie
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TOWER HILL.

Thomas G. Bates	Anna Carroll
Wilson Bernard	Eugene Dickey
Roscoe T. Brennan	Karl L. Macauley

II

NOT ABSENT OR TARDY.

A. For 3 terms.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Robert B. Kelliher	Joseph McMahon
Elizabeth Sheehan	John R. Willard

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

PRESCOTT VIII.

Margaret Gill

Anna Walsh

PRESCOTT VII.

Marshall Leavitt

WEST CORNER.

Earle Hewins

Seth Mann

Mabel A. Mann

George Teed

Leo Patten

B. For 2 terms.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Ralph N. Boyd

Elizabeth R. DeNeill

Charles G. Devine

John J. Mahoney

Mabel L. Scott

Kathleen C. Uniac

PRESCOTT VIII.

Roy Robbins

PRESCOTT VII.

Grace Brennan

Annie Lyons

PRESCOTT II.

Grace Donovan

Leonora Bump

William Condon

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C. For 1 term.

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL.

Dorothy Piper	Leo Sullivan
Corinne F. Tileston	Gladys C. Vaughn

PRESCOTT VIII.

James Mellon

PRESCOTT VII.

William Brennan	Katherine Curran
Evelyn Curtis	Grace Foley
Mary Hagney	Leo Kelliher
Eva Luddington	Henry Mullins
Mary O'Neil	

PRESCOTT V.

Marion Hurley

PRESCOTT III.

Allan Bump	Alice Flannery
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PRESCOTT II.

Vincent Dolan	Marjorie Brennan
Henry Gill	Daniel McCue
Francis McNeil	Ernest Trombly
Charles Marcille	Frances Campbell

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George Manning
Charles Pettengill
Milton Robbins
Roderick White

Lydia Flavell
Elizabeth Good
Elizabeth Hand
Mary O'Brien

NORTH VI.

Mary Meaney

WEST CORNER.

Mildred Mann
Elden Taber

Mabel E. Mann
Elsie Taber

Total Number of Names on Roll of Honor, 310.

Report of the Principal of the High School.

Stetson High School,
Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1909.

Watson C. Lea, Superintendent of Schools,

Dear Sir:—

It would seem to be in order to make a public record of the gift by Stetson High School, to the Pilgrim Memorial Monument Association, of a block of granite designed to be placed in the Pilgrim Memorial Monument at Provincetown, Mass.

This block was on exhibition at our graduation exercises, in June, 1908, and was very much admired. It was later shipped to Provincetown and is now in place in the monument, insuring to Randolph its due share of recognition as one of the towns of the "Old Colony."

The block is of dark Quincy granite, from the Railway Granite Company's quarry. This quarry is the oldest in Quincy, and from it was taken the material for Bunker Hill Monument. The block has a polished face, with the word "Randolph" cut in the center in three and one-half inch, V-shaped letters, with the date 1625. The dimensions of the stone correspond to those contributed by other towns of the Commonwealth, and are 30 inches by 18 inches by 12 inches. The approximate cost was fifty dollars, which was contributed

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by Mr. William H. Daly of West St., Randolph. This stone is probably the only one sent to Provincetown by a school.

Our pupils and teachers wish to thank the friends of the school for aiding us in our efforts to obtain a new piano. The senior class have in hand over \$80, not including the allowance made by the Old Colony Piano Co., for a musical census of Randolph. Our school fund is now \$62. We hope to make the Senior class fund and the school fund each \$100 before the close of the year.

Very truly yours,

F. E. CHAPIN.

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GRADUATION EXERCISES.

CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHT

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL,

Stetson Hall, Randolph, Wednesday Evening, June 24, 1908.

PROGRAM.

OPENING MARCH

INVOCATION Rev. Daniel J. Gleeson

"BRIDAL CHORUS," from "The Rose Maiden," by *F. H. Cowen*

SALUTATORY Merle L. Averell

THE PASSION PLAY Esther M. Rockwood

CHORUS, "Our Jack" Arranged by *H. Trotter*

RECITATION, "A String of Pearls" *Wadsworth*
Catherine M. Hoye

WASTE OF OUR NATIONAL RESOURCES James E. Dolan

SOPRANO SOLO, "The Spring Has Come" *White*
Grace A. McCue

PRESENTATION OF BUST OF WEBSTER. Original by *Thomas Ball*
Elizabeth R. DeNeil

REFORMING "THE FOURTH" Mary A. Murphy

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CHORUS, "Fare Thee Well, Beloved Homeland"

Arranged by *Kjerulf*

PRESENTATION OF BUST OF HERMES...Original by *Praxiteles*
Katherine C. Uniac

VIOLIN SOLO, (a) "Air Varie".....*Vieuxtemps*
(b) "Humoreske".....*Dvorak*

Blanche L. Crafts

CLASS PROPHECY.....Mary K. McMahon

CHORUS, "Columbia Beloved"

Arranged from *Donizetti* by C. B. Rich

VALEDICTORY.....Josephine M. Walsh

CLASS SONG

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND TURNER MEDALS

Superintendent Watson C. Lea

"AMERICA".....School and Audience

CLASS OF 1908, STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Motto—"Ne Cede Malis." Colors—Light Blue and White.

LATIN COURSE

Merle Leon Averell	Mary Kiernan McMahon
James Edward Dolan	Mary Alice Murphy
Catharine Mary Hoyer	Esther Mildred Rockwood
Grace Angeline McCue	Josephine Mary Walsh
John Russell Willard	

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ENGLISH COURSE

Elizabeth Rose DeNeil	Mary Louise Marcille
Annie Eliza Mann	Katharine Clare Uniac

CLASS OFFICERS

President—Merle L. Averell

Vice-President—Grace A. McCue

Secretary—Katherine C. Uniac

Treasurer—Annie E. Mann

Executive Committee—Alice Murphy, James E. Dolan,
Mary L. Marcille, J. Russell Willard, Mary K. McMahon.

TRUSTEES OF STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Royal T. Mann, Redmond P. Barrett, Edward Long.

Secretary of the Board, Fred M. French.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Watson C. Lea

REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of Schools:

At the present time the music in the schools is progressing in a satisfactory manner.

I visit the schools once a week, the average time spent in each room of the Primary and Grammar grades being one-half hour. In the High School I spend three-quarters of an

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hour once a week, this being the only time devoted to singing.

In the Primary and Grammar schools the teachers give three lessons a week, each lesson being of one-half hour duration.

The work in the Primary grades includes rote singing, interval work from board and from dictation, and ear tests. In the first grade the work consists in having the children sing by note melodies which have been written upon the black-board, much emphasis being given to individual work. In the second and third grades the children sing entirely from books.

In the fourth and fifth grades unison and two-part singing is done with much preliminary drill work on chromatic scale, skips, etc. In the sixth, seventh and eighth grades minor work is introduced in connection with two and three-part singing. In the High School chiefly four-part work is done in exercises and songs.

ROSE G. HAND.

January 15, 1909.

REPORT OF THE TRUANT OFFICERS

Randolph, Mass., January 12, 1909.

To Mr. Watson C. Lea, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir,

I would respectfully submit the following report as Truant Officer of the Town of Randolph. I have been called to investigate eight cases during the year 1908, six of which were absentees from school and two were cases where cards had been sent from other towns but children did not present themselves at school. In one case I found the family did

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live in town but had returned to where they came from; in the other case I had the pupils in school the next morning. In some cases of the absentees I found it was the fault of the parent, and in cases of that kind I impressed very strongly the necessity of sending children to school, and that if the fault was theirs I should deal with them rather than the children; but I believe in all cases but one I have found the absentees and returned them to school during *school* hours. I have had but very little trouble of late, and everything so far as I know is progressing nicely.

Very truly yours,

E. LAWRENCE PAYNE,
Truant Officer.

* Randolph, January 15, 1909.

Watson C. Lea, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir,

During the year ending in December, 1908, I have been called upon to investigate fourteen cases of absentees from school. Upon investigation I found that the parents in most of the cases were at fault in keeping their children at home, and I have had to give them quite a talking to in order to make them send their children to school. In conversation with some of the teachers, they informed me that the attendance the past year was very good.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK J. DONAHOE,
Truant Officer.

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GRADUATES OF GRAMMAR SCHOOLS, JUNE, 1908.

PRESCOTT SCHOOL

Annie M. Carroll	Edith Carroll
Hazel B. Champion	William F. Cunningham
Terence Dargan	Leo Dench
Thomas W. Desmond	Madeleine C. Dillon
Edward F. Fahey	Walter Farrell
Edmund Flaherty	Florence Foster
Margaret Gill	Rosamond Hagney
Helen J. Heney	Lucien Hogan
Svea Johnson	Charles Kiley
Margaret Laughlin	Abbie Lyons
Anna Morgan	Thomas Mulligan
Gladys Porter	Emilie Reynolds
Roy Robbins	Alice Shepard
Mary Spence	Ellen Stanton
Helen Sullivan	Joseph Sullivan
Marie Sullivan	Mary Tierney

Anna Walsh

NORTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Marie White	Alberta Bustard
Glenda Christie	Edna Rhodes
Harry Daly	Mary Schultz
Susie Chase	William Meaney
Marian Hinckley	Florence Webster
Jennie Mann	Marion Armstead
Richard Pinkerton	Leo R. Dee
Henry Kiley	Gertrude Meaney
Anna Larsen	Lizzie Foster
Mahlon Woods	Elizabeth Larsen
Frank Lyons	Robert Gibson

Total number, 55.

Report of the Fire Department.

Randolph, Mass., Dec. 31, 1908.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen,—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Fire Engineers:

The department was organized May 1st, 1908, as follows:

BOARD OF ENGINEERS.

C. A. Wales, Chief; J. E. Blanche, M. F. Sullivan, G. A. Roel, Assistants; W. A. Croak, Assistant Clerk.

APPARATUS AND COMPANIES.

Hose Wagon 1—Frank W. Harris, Driver.

Hose Reel 2—P. Joseph Riley, Driver.

Ladder Truck 1—George Canaway, Driver.

Chemical Engine 1—J. E. Blanche, Driver.

Hose Co. 1—12 men, John P. Rooney, Foreman.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, George L. Stetson, Foreman.

Ladder Co. 1—12 men, Charles S. Dolan, Foreman.

Chemical Co. 1—12 men, Edward F. Meany, Foreman.

FIRES.

Jan. 5, 1908—Alarm at 8 o'clock A. M., from Box 51, for burning soot in chimney of dwelling on West street, owned

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by Nicholas Linehan, and occupied by William Dear; all out signal 8:15 A. M.

Jan. 31—Alarm at 11: 50 P. M., from Box 23, for fire in basement of dwelling on South Main street, owned by the Proctor heirs, and occupied by J. McCarthy; cause, thawing frozen water pipes; all out signal 12: 15 A. M.

March 27—Alarm at 4: 16 P. M., from Box 27, for fire in grass land, near dwelling on South Street, owned and occupied by John Gaynor; all out signal 4: 30 P. M.

April 1—Chief Wales was called to fire in Woodland, north of Pond street and east of North Main street.

April 2—On a still alarm; Engineer Sullivan with others was called to dwelling on Howard street, owned and occupied by James Good, where burning soot in chimney was causing alarm to occupant of building.

April 3—On a still alarm; Chief Wales was called to fire in Woodland, on Mill street.

April 12—Alarm from Box 23, at 1: 45 P. M., for an automobile on fire in shed attached to stable owned and occupied by heirs of C. H. Nichols, near Central Square; all out signal 2: 15 P. M., no damage to building.

April 14—On a still alarm; Chief Wales and several firemen were called to fire in Woodland, in rear of residence of Geo. A. Reynolds on High street.

April 24—Chief Wales with men was called to fire in Woodland, east of central cemetery about 10 A. M.

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May 20—Alarm at 3: 35 P. M., from Box 23, for fire in basement of building, corner of Main and Short streets, owned by heirs of N. F. Goldsmith, and occupied by Len H. Porter as a drug store; considering the contents of the building the possibilities of a serious fire was feared for a short time, but the firemen by quick and persistent work confined the fire to the basement and the back, or work-room, on the first floor; the contents of the drug store in front was badly damaged by smoke and water, cause of fire accidental, all out signal 5: 30 P. M.

June 2—A needless alarm at 4: 48 P. M., from Box 51, for fire in pile of rubbish on West street, all out signal 4: 55 P. M.

June 3—An emergency call at 7: 24 P. M., from Box 23, on request of the Holbrook Fire Department, for fire in Porter's ice houses off Union street, Holbrook; Hose 1, and Steamer 1, with Chief Wales and several men responded to the call, the steamer was in prime condition, as it sent a good stream of water through 4,500 feet of hose for four hours steady work.

June 16—On a still alarm; several persons put out a slight fire in building on Main street, owned by F. W. Hayden, and occupied by B. F. Hayden and others; cause, overheated stove.

June 20—Alarm at 9: 54 P. M., from Box 26, for a slight fire in dwelling on South Main street, owned and occupied by G. E. Goody, cause, accidental; all out signal 10: 30 P. M.

June 21—Alarm at 1: 10 P. M., from Box 46, for fire in what is sometimes called "Spotless Town"; it started in brush and spread to Woodland, and before it was under control it burned seven buildings of the bungalow style, which had

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been built on uncleared land with plenty of brush lying loosely about, the strong wind blowing at the time gave the flames a free run through the woods; the firemen attached hose to the hydrant near the pumping station and laid all the hose of the department through the woods to the fire and succeeded after a hard fight in subduing the flames; the firemen returning home between 8 and 9 P. M.

June 22—On a still alarm; several persons put out fire in hay (that was ready to put in the barn) in the field of Thomas L. Stetson, near the track of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, on North street, spark from a passing locomotive caused the fire about 10 A. M.; about a ton burned.

June 23—Alarm at 10:50 A. M., from Box 46, calling the firemen again to "Spotless Town," for fire that had been smouldering among roots of trees since the 21st, the ground being very dry as a result of the very dry weather prevailing at the time; all out signal 12:50 P. M.

July 7—Alarm at 1:35 A. M., from Box 56, for fire in dwelling on West street, owned by Mrs. B. L. Clark, and occupied by Louis Clark, wholly destroyed, cause unknown; all out signal 2:50 A. M.

July 22—Alarm at 4:10 A. M., from Box 31, for fire in dwelling on North street, owned and occupied by Robert McLeod, wholly destroyed; cause, lightning; all out signal 5:20 A. M.

Aug. 3—Alarm from Box 28 at 12:55 P. M.; this Box was pulled by some young man who claimed a child was lost in the neighborhood, on enquiry no child was lost.

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Dec. 2—Alarm at 7: 52 P. M., from Box 52, for burning soot in chimney of dwelling on Warren street, owned and occupied by Bartholomew O'Neil, the generous flow of sparks from the chimney top caused quite a scare for a few moments; all out signal 8: 41 P. M.

EXPENSES

Paid 48 men salary, \$12 each	\$572 50
48 men 82 hours at 50 cents	53 00
48 men 6 hours at 25 cents	1 50
Board of Engineers, fire service	22 00
Engineer of steamer	20 00
Fireman of steamer	15 00
Forest fire warden, on account of woodland fires	193 68
Estate of C. H. Nichols, hauling apparatus	400 00
J. E. Blanche, hauling chemical engine	53 00
J. Riley, hauling hose reel	18 00
J. E. Blanche, care of chemical engine	52 00
F. J. Donahoe, steward	77 50
W. M. Howard, steward	12 50
R. J. McAuliffe, steward	10 60
Wm. O'Halloran, steward	16 25
Geo. A. Roel, superintendent fire alarm	75 00
C. A. Wales, care of alarm 1907	25 00
Estate of C. Doughty, steam for whistle 1907	50 00
Estate of C. Doughty, light service	40 53
Eugene Thayer, supplies	2 60
James Riley, rent of land 1907-1908	30 00
Geo. A. Roel, supplies for fire alarm	43 50
Hartford Co., insurance and inspection	15 00
Eagle Oil Co., supplies	6 99
F. W. Hayden, supplies	3 52

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Paid Globe Polish Co., supplies	\$1 25
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., for labor and supplies in repairs of fire alarm 1907	509 33
D. B. White, coal	53 75
H. K. Barnes, supplies	2 50
Estate of C. H. Nichols, teams and expressing 1907-1908	40 24
A. W. Alden, janitor	9 00
M. McGoughey, labor	75
John Gill, labor	7 00
A. J. Morse, supplies	4 36
R. E. O'Brien, labor and material	16 45
Stewart & Howland, fire alarm supplies	36 00
E. M. Mann, wood	12 00
M. E. Leahey, coal	7 50
J. T. Leahy, insurance	22 40
H. W. Pratt, insurance	31 20
Lyons Express	15
Heirs of Ellen Grady, rent for land	15 00
C. Fred, supplies	5 07

\$2,583 62

Expense	\$2,583 62
Appropriation	2,561 00

Overdrawn	22 62
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APPARATUS

The apparatus appears at present writing to be in good working condition except hose; we are very much in need of more hose, some of the hose in use at present has been in use a long time and is becoming weak from age—the total amount

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of hose on hand is about 2,500 feet; we shall ask for an appropriation of four hundred dollars to purchase 500 feet of new hose.

HOUSES

The houses need some attention; one side of the roof of the house in Central square was shingled two years ago, and now the other side must be shingled this year.

The house on North Main street must have the chimney carried straight up through the roof in a similar manner to the West street house chimney a few years ago, as it is leaking into the building, destroying ceiling, etc.

The West street house needs a coat of paint, or the one coat put on a short time ago will come to naught; we will need \$150 to make these repairs.

FIRE ALARM

The fire alarm system as a whole is in good condition at present as far as can be seen; we have covered the roof of the whistle house with copper in place of tin, as the best of tin would last but a short time in that position. We shall have to ask for \$200 instead of \$175, as heretofore; with the three additional boxes of late, and increase of battery jars, the cost of maintenance has increased.

There are probably bills against the department outstanding to the amount of \$130.

We therefore ask for an appropriation to cover the following estimate of expense for the coming year.

For general expenses	\$1,100 00
Pay of men, \$12 each	576 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Pay of men, house service	\$275 00
Woodland fires	100 00
Engineer and firemen of steamer	35 00
Fire alarm	200 00
Repairs of houses	150 00
500 feet of new hose	400 00
	\$2,836 00

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. WALES, Chief,	} Engineers.
J. E. BLANCHE,	
M. F. SULLIVAN,	
G. A. ROEL,	
W. A. CROAK, Clerk.	

Twenty-second Annual Report
OF THE
WATER COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
For the Year Ending December 31, 1908

Water Commissioners' Report

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The Water Commissioners respectfully submit the twenty-third annual report for the year ending December 31, 1908.

The water has been excellent owing to the dry season and a less amount of surface water flowing into the pond. The analysis by the State Board of Health from samples of the water sent them every two months, compares very favorably with the best waters of the state.

The pumping station, mains, standpipes, hydrants and everything connected with the water supply are apparently in good condition, except that the standpipes should be painted, and we hope to do this the coming year.

We wish to call the attention of the citizens to the large amount of water used on the streets, in the cemeteries, school-houses, drinking fountains and for fires for which the water department receives nothing, and in addition to this we were called upon by the town to pay one thousand dollars into the sinking fund. We are pleased to show a small balance in our favor as per report of the Treasurer, but we feel that the receipts of the water department should be allowed to accumulate for future use, as the plant is old and may need a large amount of money at short notice to make necessary repairs.

Orders were drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$11,-143.06, as follows:

Joint maintenance.....	\$2,664 44
Randolph maintenance.....	1,476 37

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Wales avenue extension.....	\$570 27
Allen street extension.....	292 77
Construction, service pipe.....	539 21
Interest on bonds.....	4,600 00
Water Loan Sinking Fund.....	1,000 00
	\$11,143 06

JOINT MAINTENANCE.

Paid Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies.....	\$39 46
M. E. Leahy, coal.....	839 84
John Carr, labor.....	10 75
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	3 58
Jenkins Bros., pump valves.....	24 30
Warren Steam Pump Co., supplies.....	14 37
Richard F. Forrest, labor.....	288 50
Geo. F. Blake Co., bolts.....	3 20
Valvoline Co., cylinder oil.....	76 13
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	11 00
George F. Taylor, labor.....	6 50
N. L. Moore, labor	4 20
Hartford Boiler Insurance Co.....	100 00
Hart Packing Co., packing.....	12 13
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies.....	44 55
The Fairbanks Co., gate seat rings.....	10 01
Herbert W. Pratt, insurance.....	79 50
W. D. Hatchfield, labor.....	4 00
Fred M. French, insurance.....	79 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.....	32 67
Randolph Clothing Co., rubber boots.....	5 75

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Paid B. F. Hayden, cement.....	\$3 00
James Fardy, blacksmithing.....	20 16
Patrick Riley, labor.....	4 00
Robert Hamilton, labor.....	2 00
Jas. W. McGerigle, labor.....	5 00
Cancos Mfg. Co., packing.....	7 98
Augustus Forrest, labor.....	29 00
Joseph T. Leahy, insurance.....	79 50
James Barry, labor.....	2 00
Cons. Good, labor.....	2 00
D. B. White, coal.....	508 48
James E. Blanché, teams.....	15 00
D. Henderson, labor.....	50
P. J. McGrath, sealing scales.....	1 15
Edson Mfg. Co., hose.....	15 20
Lock Regulating Co.....	21
Jeremiah Sullivan, labor.....	14 00
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	29 00
Crosby Gage & Valve Co., charts.....	5 25
Michael Reynolds, labor.....	4 00
Roberts Iron Works, bolts.....	2 00
James F. Hurley, painting cottage.....	56 50
Est. Chas. H. Nichols, teams and express..	58 67
Joshua Hunt, wood.....	2 75
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., valves.....	40 58
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	2 75
Chas. N. Cox, labor.....	28 60
Eugene Thayer, rubber boots.....	5 50
Wm. H. Carroll, labor.....	1 75
J. McCarthy, brick.....	4 00
Waldo Bros., fire brick.....	5 90
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	11 21
Timothy Lyons, carting.....	6 86

\$2,664 44

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JOINT BILLS PAID BY HOLBROOK WATER
DEPARTMENT.

Paid W. E. Rider Co., grate.....	\$151 25
W. H. Ward, salary.....	1,088 44
Walworth Mfg. Co., wrenches.....	9 75
Lynch & Woodward, pipe.....	17 00
M. T. Davidson Co., pump.....	126 55
John Underhay, insurance.....	79 50
John L. Galvin, coal.....	508 26
M. Murphy, teams.....	9 00
C. H. McCarter, blacksmithing.....	6 20
Green Tweed & Co., wrench.....	3 15
D. B. White, coal.....	410 63
G. T. Wilde, supplies.....	25 66
P. Jordan, labor.....	2 00
J. Sullivan, labor.....	4 00
	\$2,441 39
Total joint account.....	\$5,105 83
One-half do.....	\$2,552 91
Paid by Holbrook.....	\$2,441 39
Due from Holbrook.....	111 52
	\$2,552 91

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Paid Braintree Water Dept., testing meters.....	\$13 80
John Carr, labor.....	14 00
M. K. Hill, printing.....	21 93
Robert Hamilton, labor.....	4 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor.....	232 74
Boston Safe Dep., box rent.....	10 00
National Meter Co., Meters.....	201 50
Chapman Valve Co.....	38 11
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	1 81
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	27 38
Arthur W. Alden, care of room.....	6 00
Augustus Forrest, labor.....	3 00
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.....	19 39
James Fardy, labor.....	3 60
Somerville Savings Bank, interest.....	120 00
H. A. Howard, postage.....	27 24
Randolph Savings Bank, interest.....	35 00
Union Water Meter Co.....	46 60
Register Publishing Co.....	16 00
Estate of Thos. J. Kiernan, salary.....	50 00
Thomson Meter Co.....	3 63
Estate of Charles H. Nichols.....	151 93
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	4 00
R. E. O'Brien, supplies.....	11 78
Joseph T. Leahy, cash paid.....	8 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	1 83
D. B. White, salary.....	150 00
W. F. Barrett, salary.....	125 00
Richard F. Forrest, salary.....	125 00
W. F. Barrett, cash paid.....	3 10

\$1,476 37

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION.

Paid Summer & Gerald's, fixtures.....	\$166 14
Hyde Park Water Co., pipe.....	144 68
Union Meter Co., supplies.....	91 77
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	44 25
Robert Hamilton, labor.....	21 25
Augustus Forrest, labor.....	17 25
John Carr, labor.....	15 00
R. F. Forrest, labor.....	7 87
John F. Mullen, labor.....	3 00
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	26 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight.....	25
Timothy Lyons, carting	1 75
	\$539 21

WALES AVENUE EXTENSION.

Paid John V. Beal, legal advice.....	\$32 91
Wm. Deer, labor.....	30 50
James Blythe, labor.....	8 67
R. F. Forrest, labor.....	33 75
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	30 25
Bernard Moore, labor.....	10 00
John F. Mullen, labor.....	23 63
John Meaney, labor.....	10 25
Frank Woodman, labor.....	10 13
John Carr, labor.....	16 88
Cons. Good, labor.....	14 38

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Paid John Kiley, labor.....	\$13 88
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	25 88
C. H. Johnson, labor.....	7 87
Patrick Riley, labor.....	5 13
Augustus Forrest, labor.....	6 00
Chapman Valve Co.....	9 60
Chadwick Bros. Lead Co.....	17 90
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	91
Geo. A. Averill, labor.....	2 00
M. J. O'Connell, labor.....	1 50
W. Jones, labor.....	8 13
W. D. Hatchfield, labor.....	7 40
M. E. Leahy, wood.....	3 75
J. J. Doonan, dynamite.....	2 10
Walworth Mfg. Co., pipe.....	225 87
Timothy Lyons, teaming.....	11 00
	\$570 27

ALLEN STREET EXTENSION.

Paid Patrick Ryan, labor.....	\$20 00
John F. Mullen, labor.....	9 00
John Meaney, labor.....	17 00
Frank Woodman, labor.....	18 00
John Carr, labor.....	20 00
Cons. Good, labor.....	16 00
John Kiley, labor.....	11 00
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	18 00

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Paid Chadwick Bros. Lead Co., Lead.....	\$11 77
W. D. Hatchfield, labor.....	2 40
John Anderson, labor.....	3 45
Richard F. Forrest, labor.....	27 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., pipe.....	109 40
Wm. H. Carroll, labor.....	9 75
	\$292 77

RECEIPTS.

For Water, fixed rates.....	\$5,155 25
Water, meter rates.....	3,236 85
Meter rentals.....	387 75
Pipe, fixtures and labor.....	301 92

From Holbrook Water Department:

Bal. joint account, 1907.....	145 44
Bal. joint account, 1908.....	111 52

\$9,338 73

Less rebates.....	22 50
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Paid Treasurer.....	\$9,316 23
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There is due the department from sundry persons as follows:

For Water, fixed rates.....	\$591 00
Water, meter rates and rentals.....	937 90
	\$1,528 90

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The commissioners ask for an appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars for the Sinking fund.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WILLIAM F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

Randolph, Mass., January 30, 1909.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water Commissioners and find them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSURANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 12th day of January, 1909, by Inspector L. W. Appley. One H. T. Boiler, No. 2:

Internally:—The shell and tubes show a slight deposit. Seams and flanges were sound. Bracing was of good tension. Openings to outside connections were clear.

Externally:—The fire surfaces show no signs of overheating.

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Seams and tube ends show no leakage. Appliances were in working order. State changes have been made.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,
Manager.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 18th, 1909.

Randolph & Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSUR-
ANCE COMPANY, OF HARTFORD, CONN.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 4th day of December, 1908, by Inspector W. J. Beswick. One H. T. Boiler, No. 1.

Internally:—The inner surfaces are clean and in good condition; as far as can be seen, the seams and flanges are free from fractures. Openings to outside connections are clear. The bracing is sound and taut. Fusible plug is in good condition.

Externally:—The fire surfaces are free from defects. Seams and tube ends are tight. All boiler appliances are in good working order. Brick work is in good condition. The steam gauge is correct.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,
Manager.

Boston, December 7, 1908.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

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To the Water Commissioners of the towns Randolph and Holbrook:—

The following is the usual table:

1908.	Gallons water pumped.	Daily average water pumped.	Coal burned, pounds.	Average pounds coal burned daily.
January	7,880,496	254,209	53,070	1,712
February	7,912,367	272,840	52,770	1,818
March	8,348,687	269,312	56,870	1,834
April	8,503,677	283,455	53,340	1,776
May	9,539,600	307,729	53,935	1,733
June	18,096,218	603,207	89,580	2,986
July	17,851,799	575,864	87,745	2,766
August	12,747,287	411,202	68,140	2,198
September	11,519,473	383,892	63,240	2,108
October	10,982,452	354,272	65,630	2,117
November	8,471,904	282,396	52,270	1,742
December	9,112,509	293,952	57,660	1,860
Totals	130,972,469	330,528	754,210	
Increase over last year	11,530,568	31,504	6,608	18

Largest day's pumping, July 13, 1908, 997,472 gallons. Time 11 hours, 45 minutes, owing to drought.

Largest week's pumping ended July 13, 1908, 5,767,806 gallons pumped. Increase over last year, 428,861 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WARD,
Engineer.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars, for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water

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shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises, and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Com-

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missioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after the same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire, without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes

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to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay all expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than.....	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses.

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet.....	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family.....	5 00
One faucet for each family.....	6 00
For first bathtub.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family.....	4 00
Each additional bathtub.....	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family.....	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet.....	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than.....	20 00

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Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.

Laundry tub.....	\$3 00
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Boarding-Houses and Hotels.

First faucet.....	\$10 00
Each additional faucet.....	3 00
First bathtub.....	10 00
Each additional bathtub.....	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet.....	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet....	3 00

Private Stables.

First horse.....	\$5 00
Each additional horse.....	3 00
Each cow or ox.....	1 00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables.

For the first four horses.....	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each.....	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling-houses.

Building Purposes. Each cask of lime or cement..	05
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Hose.

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch nozzle to be used only on premises and

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street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day
for six months in the year \$5 00

For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will
be made.

Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading.

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons.....	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gal- lons average per day per 1,000 gallons.....	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons...	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the
annual charge be less than \$8.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for
which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted,
will be made at the expense of the town.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WM. F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

Report of Town Treasurer.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

Receipts.

Balance on hand December 31, 1907.....	\$ 918 83
Received water rates.....	9,316 23
Received interest on deposit.....	3 85
Received proceeds of note (extension of Main on Wales avenue and Allen street).....	1,012 30
	\$11,251 21

Paid orders of Water Commissioners...	\$6,543 06
Paid coupons on water bonds.....	4,600 00
	11,143 06

Balance on hand December 31, 1908.....	\$108 15
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT BY MONTHS.

Month	Receipts	Payments	Balance
December, 1907			\$918 83
January, 1908	\$1,542 95	\$540 00	1,921 78
February	357 42	606 52	1,672 68
March	423 80	.....	2,096 48
April	117 12	1,572 36	641 24
May	485 99	340 06	787 17
June	267 77	365 93	689 01
July	2,434 88	661 78	2,462 11
August	511 42	813 52	2,160 01
September	284 86	10 06	2,434 81
October	163 63	1,160 00	1,438 44
November	367 73	1,682 88	123 29
December	3,374 81	3,389 95	108 15
Totals	\$10,332 38	\$11,143 06	\$108 15

Randolph, Mass., January 30, 1909.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners, and find the same correct, and the balance as stated above.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with Randolph Water
Loan Sinking Fund.

Receipts.

Balance December 31, 1907.....	\$3,750 70
Received Town appropriation.....	1,500 00
Contributed from water receipts.....	1,000 00

Received interest:

On 22 town of Randolph bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	880 00
On town of Randolph note, \$3,000, eleven months at 4 per cent.....	110 00
On four Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On O. C. R. R. bond, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent	120 00
On 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 6 per cent.....	180 00
On 7 Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 5 per cent.....	350 00
On 3 Fitchburg R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year, at 4 per cent.....	120 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On 1 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond, \$1,000 one year, at 4 per cent.....	40 00

On deposit at Savings Banks:

Randolph.....	33 66
North Easton.....	36 92
Quincy.....	36 72
Abington.....	17 86

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Brockton	\$15 16
City Trust Co., Boston	11 94
	\$8,362 96

Expenditures.

Paid for Town of Randolph note	\$3,000 00
Deposited in Savings banks	140 32
Deposited in City Trust Co., Boston	5,222 64
	\$8,362 96

Financial Exhibit of the Water Department, December 31,
1908.

Liabilities.

Water bonds outstanding:

Due April 1, 1912	\$20,000 00
Dec. 31, 1912	700 00
May 1, 1917	40,000 00
May 1, 1918	20,000 00
Dec. 16, 1918	1,000 00
July 1, 1922	25,000 00
Nov. 5, 1923	3,000 00
July 1, 1926	10,000 00
	\$119,700 00
Interest Dec. 31, 1908 (estimated)	1,325 00
	\$121,025 00

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Assets.

Amount in sinking fund.....	\$54,839 13
Cash in hands of Treasurer.....	108 15
Accounts due and unpaid.....	1,528 90
	\$56,476 18
Net water debt Dec. 31, 1908.....	\$64,548 82
Net water debt Dec. 31, 1907.....	67,445 58
Decrease in net water debt in 1908....	\$2,896 76

State of the Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund, December 31, 1908.

One Old Colony R. R. Bond.....	\$ 3,000 00
Twenty-two Randolph water bonds.....	22,000 00
Four Town of Randolph notes (Wales Ave.).....	2,000 00
Three Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds.....	3,000 00
Seven Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. Co. bonds.....	7,000 00
Three Fitchburg R. R. bonds.....	3,000 00
Two Chicago Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds	2,000 00
One N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond.....	1,000 00
One Town of Randolph note.....	3,000 00
Deposited in Abington Savings Bank.....	460 76
Brockton Savings Bank.....	391 04
North Easton Savings Bank.....	950 94
Quincy Savings Bank.....	946 26

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Deposited in Randolph Savings Bank.....	\$ 867 49
City Trust Co., Boston.....	5,222 64
	\$54,839 13

Randolph, Mass., Feby. 1, 1909.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have examined the Sinking Fund, and find it to agree with the statements above made.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with the Town of
Randolph.

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Balance on hand December 31, 1907..	\$ 2,577 15
Borrowed on Town notes.....	67,500 00
Received Taxes of 1904.....	\$ 681 95
1905.....	3,200 00
1906 (regular).....	5,600 00
1906 (street sprinkling).....	150 88
1907.....	7,800 00
1908 (regular).....	29,500 00
1908 (excise).....	1,316 40
	\$48,249 23

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Received interest:

On taxes.....	\$716 05
On deposits.....	52 58
Premium on notes.....	36 92

\$805 55

Received for license:

Three auctioneer.....	6 00
Two billiard and pool.....	4 00
Public amusement.....	7 00

\$17 00

Received from other towns, pauper account:

Concord.....	\$151 83
Duxbury.....	130 00
Billerica.....	36 00
Brockton.....	90 50
Boston.....	7 50
Avon.....	22 85
Taunton.....	24 75
Milton.....	8 92
Holbrook.....	129 34
Quincy.....	37 50

\$639 19

Received from Selectmen for Sundry accounts.... \$1,115 53

Received from State Treasurer:

Balance corporation tax, 1907.....	\$177 30
Inspector of animals.....	50 00

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Temporary aid.....	\$ 6 00
Corporation tax, 1908, in part.....	2,696 21
National Bank tax.....	1,606 50
Military aid.....	138 00
State aid.....	3,850 00
Burial indigent soldiers.....	249 00
Street railway tax.....	880 04

\$9,653 05

Received Sundries:

Insurance premium return.....	\$ 5 00
Court fees, Dedham.....	30 00
Court fees, Quincy.....	149 00
Rent of tenement.....	90 00
Sale of junk (Fire Dept.).....	4 45

\$278 45

Received on account of School Committee:

Tuition from state.....	\$156 00
Tuition from Boston.....	19 00
Massachusetts school fund.....	868 80
Superintendent of schools.....	500 00
Dog licenses refunded.....	492 23
Interest on Coddington fund.....	64 00

\$2,100 03

\$132,935 18

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Paid Town notes.....	\$42,000 00
Orders of Selectmen.....	85,495 87
Water rates for school tenement.....	3 00
for labor on vault at school tenement.....	6 00
Balance on hand December 31, 1908.....	5,430 31
	\$132,935 18

CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENTS

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MONTHS	RECEIPTS							EXPENDITURES				BALANCE
	Taxes	Selectmen sundry accounts	Money borrowed on town notes	Interest	Other towns pauper ac.	State Treasurer	All other sources	Orders of Selectmen	Town notes	All other paym'ts		
December, 1907.	.....	.....	\$3,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,577 15	
January, 1908.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,860 25	
February	\$800 00	.....	.....	\$4 19	\$345 83	\$177 30	\$10 00	\$1,716 90	.....	.....	2,604 39	
March	2,000 00	\$26 00	10,000 00	.....	7 50	.....	45 00	2,593 18	.....	.....	10,403 64	
April	500 00	.....	25,000 00	12 04	22 85	.....	46 58	4,279 25	\$25,000	.....	5,746 16	
May	1,200 00	100 00	7,000 00	5 91	.....	.....	168 00	7,276 07	.....	.....	6,944 00	
June	1,500 00	.....	.....	452 94	.....	.....	10 00	5,600 85	.....	.....	3,306 09	
July	1,100 00	71 45	3,000 00	69 92	.....	.....	39 05	7,423 81	.....	.....	159 70	
August	3,700 00	100 00	4,500 00	1 33	10 75	56 00	6 00	5,020 46	.....	\$3 00	3,513 32	
September	6,000 00	128 56	3,000 00	1 03	5 85	.....	500 00	9,253 34	.....	.....	3,895 42	
October	20,700 00	200 00	6,000 00	1 95	.....	.....	123 82	11,891 20	10,000	.....	9,029 99	
November	2,900 00	215 50	.....	14 04	.....	9,419 75	20 00	12,221 34	.....	3 00	9,374 94	
December	7,849 23	274 02	6,000 00	242 20	246 41	.....	1,427 93	12,980 52	7,000	3 00	5,430 31	
Totals.....	\$48,249 23	\$1,115 53	\$67,500 00	\$805 55	\$639 19	\$9,653 05	\$2,395 48	\$85,495 87	\$42,000	\$9 00	\$5,430 31	
Totals, 1907	43,078 42	811 93	\$89,000 00	1,916 93	1,073 36	9,773 81	2,424 68	72,874 53	73,000	9 00	2,577 15	
Totals, 1906	43,670 47	749 76	42,000 00	1,122 29	646 21	10,809 84	2,200 35	63,046 71	40,000	.....	381 55	
Totals, 1905	44,631 05	885 71	40,000 00	2,185 72	1,388 14	10,045 39	2,284 44	61,330 76	40,300	.....	2,229 34	
Totals, 1904	43,181 92	719 59	40,000 00	1,229 73	1,191 53	10,445 75	3,100 56	63,045 57	38,000		2,439 65	

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FINANCIAL EXHIBIT, DEC. 31, 1908.

DR.

Treasury notes:

Coddington Fund.....	\$1,600 00
(Allen street and Highland ave.)	
One note.....	850 00
(Liberty, North and Lafayette streets)	
Two notes of \$500 each.....	1,000 00
(Liberty and Lafayette streets)	
Two notes of \$630 each.....	1,260 00
(Wales avenue)	
Four notes of \$500 each.....	2,000 00
(Anticipation of taxes)	
Four notes.....	31,000 00
(Refunding town debt)	
Twenty-nine notes.....	33,500 00
(High school issue)	
Seventeen notes.....	25,500 00
(North Grammar school)	
Two notes.....	2,000 00
(Woodlawn street)	
Three notes.....	1,500 00
	\$100,210 00

Two High school notes amounting to \$3,000, are in the hands of the Treasurer, unsold.

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Unpaid taxes of 1905.....	\$340 49	
Unpaid taxes of 1906.....	3,506 90	
Unpaid taxes of 1907.....	9,245 29	
Unpaid taxes of 1908.....	18,437 64	
Interest on taxes (estimated).....	1,400 00	
State aid, 1908.....	3,922 00	
Military aid, 1908.....	213 00	
Burial indigent soldiers.....	185 00	
Corporation tax, balance.....	3 43	
Due from Abington.....	112 25	
Due from Brockton.....	113 14	
Due from Billerica.....	49 25	
Due from Milford.....	12 00	
Due from Avon.....	33 61	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1908.....	5,430 31	
		\$43,004 31
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1908....		\$57,205 69
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1907....		42,318 73
Increase of debt in 1908.....		\$14,886 96

In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund note of \$1,600, and also a deposit of \$300 in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of both of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

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Randolph, Mass., January 29, 1909.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries made for all payments and receipts.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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STATEMENT SHOWING PROVISION FOR PAYMENT OF TOWN NOTES

Year.	Woodlawn St.	Allen St. and Highland Ave.	Liberty and Lafayette Sts.	Liberty, North and Lafayette Sts.	North Gram- mar School.	Wales Ave.	Refunding notes.	New High School.	Appropriation necessary.
1909		\$850		\$500			\$1500	\$1500	\$4980
1910			\$630	500			1500	1500	4130
1911					\$1000	\$500	1500	1500	4500
1912					1000	500	1500	1500	4500
1913	\$500					500	1500	1500	4000
1914	500					500	1500	1500	4000
1915	500						1500	1500	3500
1916							1500	1500	3000
1917							1500	1500	3000
1918							1000	1500	2500
1919							1000	1500	2500
1920							1000	1500	2500
1921							1000	1500	2500
1922							1000	1500	2500
1923							1000	1500	2500
1924							1000	1500	2500
1925							1000	1500	2500
1926							1000	*1500	2500
1927							1000	*1500	2500
1928							1000		1000
1929							1000		1000
1930							1000		1000
1931							1000		1000
1932							1000		1000
1933							1000		1000
1934							1000		1000
1935							1000		1000
1936							1000		1000
									\$70,610
Coddington Fund—on demand									1,600
Anticipation of taxes									31,000

*When issued.

**This amount includes two High School notes not yet issued.

**\$103,210

Record of Town Meetings, 1908.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, March 2, 1908.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated February 17, 1908, duly served and returned by Michael F. Sullivan, Constable, the voters of the Town of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, on Monday, March 2, 1908.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the Moderator called the meeting to order. The warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk, after which action was taken as follows:

Article 1.—To choose all such town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such town officers as towns are by law authorized to choose at their annual meeting, viz.: a Moderator, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen and Overseers of Poor, an Assessor for three years, an Assessor for two years, an Assessor for one year, a School Committee, three Auditors, seven Constables, three Fish Wardens, three Fence Viewers, one Trustee of Stetson School Fund, one Water Commissioner, a Tree Warden and a Collector of Taxes; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license for the sale

of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?" That the polls shall be kept open until sunset, that Articles 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Wednesday, March 18, 1908, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The Moderator appointed the following committee:

	John V. Beal,
Dennis Kelliher,	Daniel J. Brennan,
Henry A. Belcher,	Edwin M. Mann,
Walter H. Lyons	Jeremiah J. Lynch.

The following persons served as election officers:

At ballot box, James Dunphy; at check list, Michael E. Clark; officers at gates, Bernard Moore, Peter J. McGrath; officer outside hall, John F. Gill. Ballot Clerks, Dennis F. Mahoney, Thomas L. Stetson. Deputy Ballot Clerks, Samuel A. Foster, George F. Sawyer. Tellers, William F. Barrett, James E. Foley, Frank H. Tileston, George A. Roel, Joseph J. McMahon, Peter Quinn, Frank H. Jaquith, Rev. John N. Shipman, James J. Shea, William H. Murphy, Nelson Mann, Herman Shaw.

The Ballot box was examined and found in good order. It was opened twice during the time set for balloting, viz.: At 9.30 A. M., when 341 ballots had been cast. At 11.15 A. M., when 484 ballots had been cast.

At two o'clock P. M. it was voted to close the polls.

During the counting of the ballots and before declaration of the result the following Articles were acted on:

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Article 2—To choose all such town officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

The following named persons were elected to fill the offices set against their respective names, viz.:

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK.

Charles H. Cole.

Charles D. Hill.

Eugene Thayer.

Joseph T. Leahy.

*Daniel B. White.

Michael E. Leahy.

POUND-KEEPER.

*Michael M. Sullivan.

FIELD DRIVERS.

Peter M. Gibson.

*Harold F. Howard

William P. Sullivan

Thomas Dee.

William J. McLaughlin.

*Thomas F. Kiernan.

Article 10. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, and fix the sum he is authorized to borrow.

Voted, unanimously, that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Randolph, in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, to borrow, from

* Oath of office taken.

time to time, a sum or sums in the aggregate amounting to not more than forty-five thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town thereof, payable within one year from the time the loan is made, and at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum; all debts incurred under this vote for the town shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 17. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be in any manner interested, as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Selectmen be so authorized and appointed.

Article 18. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested, as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the waters of Great Pond, or in the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

Article 22. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue notes of the town to replace those now outstanding, the same to be re-

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funded upon such terms as they deem most favorable to the town.

Voted, unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money to replace, renew or refund any or all notes of the town now outstanding that may be now due or on demand or that may become due during the present year.

The ballots having been counted, declaration of the result was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots cast.....689

FOR MODERATOR.

*†Fred M. French.....	453
Blanks.....	236

FOR TOWN CLERK.

*†Joseph T. Leahy.....	536
Blanks.....	153

FOR TOWN TREASURER.

*†Joseph T. Leahy.....	497
Blanks.....	192

FOR SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR.

(1 Year.)

*†John E. McDonald.....	413
*†Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	406

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Otis L. Soule.....	364
*†Charles H. Thayer.....	385
Scattering.....	2
Blanks.....	497

FOR ASSESSOR.

(3 Years.)

*†Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	413
Blanks.....	276

FOR ASSESSOR.

(2 Years.)

*†John E. McDonald.....	307
Otis L. Soule.....	243
Blanks.....	139

FOR ASSESSOR.

(1 Year.)

*†Charles H. Thayer.....	400
Blanks.....	289

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

(3 Years.)

*†Edward Long.....	453
Blanks.....	236

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FOR TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND.

(3 Years.)

*†Edward Long.....	415
Blanks.....	274

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER.

Frank W. Belcher.....	254
*†Richard F. Forrest.....	380
Blanks.....	55

FOR AUDITORS.

*†Michael F. Cunningham.....	436
William H. Leavitt.....	280
*†John K. Willard.....	427
*†John B. Wren.....	301
Blanks.....	623

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

*†Arthur W. Alden.....	373
Blanks.....	316

FOR CONSTABLES.

*†Frank J. Donahoe.....	415
*†Joseph H. Foster.....	389
*†Frank W. Harris.....	385
*†Michael F. Sullivan.....	383

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*†James Foley.....	349
*†John Haney.....	439
*†P. Joseph Riley.....	397
Scattering.....	6
Blanks.....	2060

FOR FENCE VIEWERS.

James Blythe.....	203
*Charles H. Cole.....	249
John Lyons.....	219
*William Mahady.....	235
*James Riley.....	343
Blanks.....	818

FOR FISH WARDENS.

*James H. Dunphy.....	301
Francis Sullivan.....	243
*Franklin W. Hayden.....	266
*George F. Taylor.....	344
Blanks.....	913

FOR TREE WARDEN.

James Blythe.....	170
*†Royal T. Mann.....	339
Blanks.....	180

*Elected.

*†Oath of office taken.

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VOTE ON LICENSE QUESTION.

Yes	250
No	367
Blanks	72

Voted, to adjourn to March 18, 1908.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, March 18, 1908.

The annual town meeting, adjourned from March 2, 1908, to this date, was called to order at 7.30 P. M. by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

¶The Committee on Appropriations submitted a printed report of their recommendations, a copy of which was presented each voter.

Voted, unanimously, that the report of the Committee on Appropriations be accepted.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

Voted, that the reports of said officers for the year ending Dec. 31, 1907, be accepted.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

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Voted that the sum of \$13,625.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

For teaching.....	\$7,800 00
Care of rooms.....	625 00
Fuel.....	700 00
Books and supplies.....	1,100 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs.....	1,100 00
Conveyance of pupils.....	400 00
Superintendent of schools.....	600 00
Stetson High School.....	2,600 00

It is also voted that the Town authorize the School Committee to receive compensation for their services to an amount not exceeding.....	300 00
	\$15,225 00

Less the following estimates:

Revenue from Dog tax, State School Fund and Coddington Fund.....	\$1,100 00
State for superintendent of schools....	300 00
State, for salary of teachers.....	200 00
	\$1,600 00
Total.....	\$13,625 00

It is also voted that the Treasurer, with approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be authorized and directed to borrow upon notes of the town of Randolph, such sums of money not exceeding three thousand dollars as may be required to pay the expenses incurred for the support of schools, including Stetson

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High School from January 1, 1909, to March 1, 1909, and that said notes thus issued shall be a part of and be paid from the money raised and appropriated for the support of schools for the year 1909.

Article 5. To see what action the town will take in relation to Stetson high school and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that further action under this article be dismissed.

Article 6. To raise money to defray the general town expenses for the current year, and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$19,280 00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expense.....	\$1,800 00
Poor in almshouse.....	1,800 00
Poor out of almshouse.....	2,800 00
Soldiers' relief.....	400 00
Soldiers' relief in Randolph and Holbrook.....	300 00
Military aid.....	100 00
Town officers.....	2,200 00
Board of Health.....	200 00
Interest on Town debt.....	2,500 00
Lockup expenses.....	150 00
Expenses of Tree Warden.....	300 00
Births, Marriages, Deaths and Court fees.....	250 00
Town note, vote of 1898 (highway plant).....	500 00
Town note, vote of 1899.....	850 00
Town note, vote of 1900.....	630 00
Town note, vote of 1901.....	500 00
Town note, vote of 1906.....	1,000 00

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Town note, vote of 1907.....	\$1,500 00
Town note, vote of 1907.....	1,500 00
Total.....	<u>\$19,280 00</u>

Also, that the interest on the taxes and deposits during the year 1908 be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the town debt. Also that the overlay tax of the current year be appropriated towards meeting any abatement of taxes which may be allowed.

Article 7. To raise and appropriate money for the repairs of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,500 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways, including paving and sidewalks, and in addition thereto, the street railway tax and excise tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,435 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the town treasurer's bond for the year 1908-1909, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1908-1909, and that the sum of \$120 be raised and appropriated therefor.

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Article 11. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted, that three-fourths of one per cent. be allowed for the collection of taxes.

Article 12. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$300 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for the attendance upon all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the town of Randolph, for one year from January 1, 1908. That is to say, each physician resident in the town on the first of March, 1908, shall receive the sum of \$50 for his services, provided he makes thirty-four visits during the year; after that he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of this town's poor within its limits as may call upon him for his services; those physicians who make less than thirty-four visits shall receive pay at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents for each of said visits.

Article 13. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers to enforce the laws, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officers.

Voted, that the town instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers, or direct officers elected by the town, to enforce all the laws of the Commonwealth, and that the sum of \$1,200 be raised and appropriated for said purpose; and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

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Article 14. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money on account of the Turner Free Library and building.

Voted, that the sum of \$175 be raised and appropriated for insurance thereon.

Article 15. To see what action the town will take in relation to the fire department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,561 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1,100 00
Pay of forty-eight men, \$12 each.....	576 00
Pay of forty-eight men, hour service.....	275 00
For fires in woodland.....	100 00
Engineer of steamer.....	20 00
Firemen of steamer.....	15 00
Fire alarm.....	175 00
Special.....	300 00
Total.....	\$2,561 00

Article 16. To see if the town will make appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles post 110, G. A. R.

Voted, that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 19. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Voted, that each person employed by the town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and

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that the laborers residing in town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to make repairs on the almshouse and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$100 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 21. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the sprinkling of streets.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for watering streets.

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to instruct the water commissioners to extend the water main on Allen street from the present terminus to a point at the residence of W. T. Pelissin, and make provisions for the payment of the same as petitioned for by George F. Sawyer and others.

Voted, that the subject matter under this Article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to instruct the water commissioners to extend the water main on Oak street from its present terminus to a point opposite the residence of Weston L. Mann, as petitioned for by William E. Sheldon and others.

Voted, that the subject matter under this Article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 25. To see if the town will authorize the collector of taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1908.

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Voted, that the collector of taxes be so authorized.

Article 26. To see if the town will authorize the collector of taxes to use the same means which a town treasurer may use when acting as collector.

Voted, that the collector of taxes be so authorized.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take in relation to the care of the clock in the spire of the Congregational Church, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$20 be raised and appropriated for the care of the clock in the spire of the Congregational Church.

Article 28. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payments of the Randolph water loan.

Voted, that the sum of \$1,500 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan" when due.

It is also voted, that the town treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to take from the water receipts for the year 1908, the sum of one thousand dollars, and apply it with the \$1,500 raised as above to the payment of the Randolph water loan, making the entire contribution under this Article twenty-five hundred dollars.

Article 29. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to dispose of the "Matthew Clark" building in the rear of Stetson hall.

Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed to dispose of the Matthew Clark building in such manner as to them shall seem most conducive to the best interest of the town.

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Article 30. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on High and Vine streets, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Michael Ford and others.

Voted, that the town furnish four lights for Vine street provided that the Electric Light Co. will establish or install the poles and wire necessary therefor, and that the sum of \$54 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 31. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

No committee reported.

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS.

For support of schools under Article 4.....	\$13,625 00
For Turner Free Library, Article 14.....	175 00
For general Town expenses, Article 6.....	19,280 00
For highways, Article 7.....	3,500 00
For street lighting by electricity, Article 8.....	3,435 00
For Insurance on Town Treasurer's bond, Article 9	120 00
For medical attendance on the poor, Article 12..	300 00
For enforcement of Laws, Article 13.....	1,200 00
For contribution to Sinking Fund, Article 28....	1,500 00
For Fire Department, Article 15.....	2,561 00
For Grand Army Post, 110, Article 16.....	150 00
For repairs on almshouse, Article 20.....	100 00
For sprinkling streets, Article 21.....	500 00
For care of clock, Article 27.....	20 00
For lights on Vine street, Article 30.....	54 00

\$46,520 00

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Voted, unanimously, that the Moderator receive the sum of \$25 for his services.

Mr. French, having thanked the meeting, directed the Treasurer to pay that amount to Post 110, G. A. R., for its monument fund.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote on town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Thursday, the thirteenth day of August instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept as a town way the street as laid out by the Selectmen between South Main street and Highland avenue, which laying out, with the boundaries and measurements of the way is filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its pres-

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ent terminus on Allen street to the residence of William T. Pelissier, as petitioned for by William T. Pelissier and others, and appropriate money for the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this third day of August, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and eight.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, August 13, 1908.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on August 13, 1908.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read.

Article 1. Voted unanimously that the street as laid out by the Selectmen be accepted by the town.

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Article 2. Voted unanimously that the Board of Water Commissioners be and they hereby are authorized and directed to extend the water main from its present terminus on Allen street to the residence of William T. Pelissier, and that the expense thereof be defrayed from the proceeds of a note or notes of the town in the manner authorized by Chapter 267 of the Acts of 1903, the amount of said note or notes so issued not to exceed in the aggregate three hundred dollars.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT!

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said Town, on Thursday, the tenth day of September next, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to construct Wood-lawn street, recently accepted by the town, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said

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Town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this thirty-first day of August, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and eight.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Randolph, September 10, 1908.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, September 10, 1908.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read.

Article 1. Voted unanimously that the town hereby grants and votes the sum of \$1500 to defray the expense thereof; that the Town Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized and directed to borrow said sum at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent. per annum; and that the Town Treasury note or notes ap-

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proved by a majority of the Selectmen be issued therefor in such manner that \$500 of the amount so borrowed shall become due and payable in five years from the date of borrowing, and \$500 each year thereafter until the whole sum of \$1500 shall become due and paid.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

Attest: JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION!

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in State elections, to assemble in Stetson Hall, on Tuesday, the third day of November next, at six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in to the Selectmen, on one ballot, their votes for Electors of President and Vice-President, Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Representative in Congress from the Twelfth District, Councillor for District No. 2, Senator for the First Norfolk District, Representative in the General Court for the Ninth Norfolk District, County Commissioner and Register of Probate and Insolvency.

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The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5.45 o'clock A. M., and will remain open until 2 o'clock, and such longer time as the voters may determine.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said Town, seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published in said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Selectmen on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this nineteenth day of October, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and eight.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

STATE ELECTION.

Randolph, November 3, 1908.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, November 3, 1908.

The warrant and return were read by Patrick H. McLaughlin, chairman of the Selectmen, and promptly at 5.45 o'clock A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

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The Town Clerk administered the oath of office to the following named election officers appointed by the Selectmen:

William A. Croak and Thomas J. Smith, deputy ballot clerks.
Edward Flaherty and Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerks.
Bernard Moore and Richard Harris, in charge of gates.
John F. Gill, officer outside hall.

Nelson Mann, William F. Barrett, James J. Hurley, Frank H. Jaquith, Peter Quinn, Rev. John N. Shipman, Winthrop B. Atherton, Dennis F. Mahoney, tellers.

Voted, that the polls be kept open until sunset.

The result of the ballot follows:

Whole number ballots 812

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT.

Pledged for Bryan and Kern.....	318
Pledged for Chafin and Watkins.....	4
Pledged for Debs and Hanford.....	31
Pledged for Gillhaus and Monroe.....	0
Pledged for Hisgen and Graves.....	43
Pledged for Taft and Sherman.....	361
Blanks.....	55
	812

FOR GOVERNOR.

Carey.....	23	Vahey.....	368
Draper.....	304	Wylie.....	5
Hoar.....	2	Osgood.....	36
Blanks.....			74

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FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

Barton.....	328	Hall.....	21
Claudino.....	2	McCartney.....	46
Frothingham.....	301	Rand.....	4
Blanks.....			110

FOR SECRETARY.

Aylward.....	293	Putney.....	26
Griffin.....	7	Williams.....	41
Nelson.....	3	Olin.....	307
Blanks.....			135

FOR TREASURER.

Butterworth.....	38	Hitchcock.....	23
Chapin.....	304	Kendall.....	4
Hess.....	4	Kennedy.....	299
Blanks.....			140

FOR AUDITOR.

Bohmbach.....	0	Moon.....	9
Dempsey.....	47	Turner.....	294
Hall.....	25	Viger.....	266
Blanks.....			171

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Dean.....	7	McCarthy.....	31
Harding.....	3	Talbot.....	35
Malone.....	293	Thayer.....	291
Blanks.....			152

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FOR CONGRESSMAN TWELFTH DISTRICT.

George.....	51	Weeks.....	327
Ivy.....	291	Luddington.....	1
Blanks.....	142		

FOR COUNCILLOR SECOND DISTRICT.

Bemis.....	317	Kidder.....	153
Burke.....	1	Blanks.....	341

FOR SENATOR FIRST NORFOLK.

Foley.....	385	Hultman.....	284
Gallagher.....	40	Blanks.....	103

FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Fitzpatrick.....	405	Sullivan.....	26
Holbrook.....	295	Blanks.....	86

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

McDonald.....	164	Merrill.....	357
Blanks.....	291		

FOR REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

Cobb.....	361	Hess.....	170
Blanks.....	281		

The ballots, unused ballots and check lists were sealed up in open town meeting, returns were made to the Secretary

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of the Commonwealth and to the Clerk of Courts, after which it was

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS.

Stoughton, November 13, 1908.

We, the undersigned, Town Clerks of Stoughton, Sharon and Randolph, comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the third day of November, 1908, to vote for one Representative, the following votes were given, viz:

	R.	Sh.	St.	Total
Jeremiah Fitzpatrick of Stoughton..	405	114	534	1053
Henry E. Holbrook of Stoughton...	295	250	612	1157
Cornelius Sullivan of Stoughton.....	26	5	49	80
Horace E. Britton of Stoughton....	0	0	1	1
Blanks.....	86	34	65	185
Total of each town and the district	812	403	1261	2476

Henry E. Holbrook was declared elected and certificates were signed to that effect.

GEO. H. WHITTEMORE, Town Clerk of Sharon.

GEO. O. WENTWORTH, Town Clerk of Stoughton.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk of Randolph.

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Table of Vital Statistics

OF THE TOWN OF RANDOLPH FOR THE YEAR 1908

The number of intentions of marriage, marriages, births and deaths recorded during the year 1908 was as follows:

MONTHS.	Intentions of marriage.	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.
January	1	1	7	6
February	3	2	7	8
March	1	2	8	6
April	2	1	5	9
May	2	2	7	5
June	5	4	7	4
July	0	1	7	10
August	0	0	8	5
September	5	5	5	8
October	3	3	6	6
November	2	1	5	2
December	6	7	4	3
Totals	30	29	76	72

Whole number of births recorded	76
Whole number of deaths	72
Males	43
Females	29
Under five years of age	14
Between 5 and 10 years	3
10 and 20 years	2
20 and 30 years	6
30 and 40 years	1
40 and 50 years	4
50 and 60 years	11
60 and 70 years	12
70 and 80 years	10
80 and 90 years	8
Over 90 years	1
Whole number of intentions of marriage	30
Whole number of marriages	29
Couples both native born	18
both foreign born	2
one foreign, one native	9

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Marriages

RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1908

Date.		Names.	Residence.	Age.
January	9	Frank E. Studley, Jr.	Cambridge	25
		Gwendolen Grover	Randolph	20
February	27	Thomas J. Dee	Randolph	52
		Annie Laforce (Havey)	Randolph	48
	28	Albert H. Spear	Randolph	21
		Clara M. Jones	Randolph	16
March	3	Patrick H. Murphy	Brockton	22
		Avis Ruggles	Randolph	28
	26	James Qula Caroline Frances Fitz Oliver (Gallagher)	Randolph Everett	62 49
April	26	Eugene C. Kinsley	Randolph	29
		Ellen Darcy (Burke)	Roxbury	40
May	13	Benjamin Mann	Randolph	22
		Cassie Brady	Randolph	20
	21	Arthur J. Bigelow	Randolph	38
		Mary E. Butterfield (Broderick)	Randolph	35
June	9	Herman W. French	Randolph	25
		Libbie A. Anderson	Cambridge	30
	18	Richard Henry Scott	West Somerville	26
		Frances Pauline Hatchfield	Randolph	24
	24	Clifford K. McDonald	Holbrook	24
		Mabel A. DeForest	Randolph	26
	24	Patrick Moran Annie Dillon	Randolph So. Braintree	22 25
July	1	Jeremiah T. Daly	Holbrook	32
		Rosa F. Quinn	Randolph	29
September	6	Arthur E. Linfield	Randolph	23
		Florence G. Glancy	Avon	22
	10	John J. Lynett	Brockton	27
		Margaret G. Toomey	Randolph	29
	16	Samuel Hawkins, Jr.	Randolph	26
		Marion Louise Bentham	Dorchester	21
	30	Daniel P. Lyons Eileen G. Bracken	Randolph Randolph	38 32

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MARRIAGES — *Continued*

Date.	Names.	Residence.	Age.
September 30	Joseph A. Devine	Randolph	26
	Constance M. Sharpe	Dorchester	21
October 19	Maurice A. Scanlon	Randolph	30
	Ellen J. Hooper	Stoughton	28
21	Winfred H. Pierce	Randolph	20
	Alice V. Nott	So. Braintree	18
24	Henry L. Porter, Jr.	So. Braintree	21
	Edna Frances Bump	Randolph	18
November 25	William C. McCarthy	Brockton	28
	Katherine T. Kelliher	Randolph	26
December 3	Frank E. Faunce	Randolph	25
	Elsie I. Fischer	Randolph	18
3	Willis A. Danforth	Randolph	25
	Mabel L. Brown (Marshall)	Randolph	26
5	Frank F. Teed	Randolph	21
	Annie E. Mann	Randolph	18
21	Raymond Broderick	Randolph	30
	Emma J. Holbrook (Hunt)	Randolph	64
24	James Francis McLeer	Randolph	19
	Addie Louise Bromade	Randolph	18
24	Archie Orrin White	Randolph	22
	Almira Ethel Laffin	Randolph	19
25	George H. Wood	Avon	20
	Gladys Marion Jones	Randolph	19

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Births

REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1908

Date.	Name of child.	Sex.	Names of parents.
January	5 Gladys Hern	F	James R. and Nellie J.—Rotch
	7 George Edwin Goody	M	George E. and Abbie F.—Harris
	15 Francis Joseph Leahy	M	Michael E. and Margaret A.—Reilly
	18 Joseph Girard Donovan	M	Joseph M. and Catherine—(Gibbons)
	19 Evelyn Louise Williams	F	Arthur L. and Annie—Killelea
	26 Roger Gordon Granger	M	L. Dwight and Mary—Powers
	27 Walter Edwin Neary	M	James E. and Lillian F.—Pendergrass
February	1 Arthur David McGaughey	M	David T. and Elizabeth—O'Brien
	1 Warren I. Coulter	M	Clarence I. and Gladys—Whittemore
	6 Mary Regina Evans	F	Fred and Lillian—Farrar
	11 Mary Sullivan	F	George A. and Nora—Coffey
	12 Julia Catherine Ryan	F	William T. and Hattie M.—Rand
	22 Catherine Purcell	F	Joseph and Teresa R.—Gillis
	28 Arabella Dacey	F	John J. and Catherine G.—McDonough
March	4 Dorothy M. Harris	F	Frank W. and Nora—Sheehan
	10 Louise Jennings	F	Charles H. and Grace D.—Holden
	13 Joseph P. Campbell	M	Alexander H.—and Katherine—Hallahan
	16 Joseph A. Kenney	M	Thomas J. and Eliza J.—McHugh
	23 Ella DeAngelis	F	Joseph and Josephine—Delarfano
	24 John Clark	M	John E. and Katherine—Toomey
	28 Herbert Elwin Mann	M	W. Leon and Marion E. Buttrick
April	1 Edmund Jerome Hogan	M	Jerome C. and Agnes M.—Lynch
	3 Adelina G. Cozzette	F	Giacomo and Angelina—Crosina
	22 Donald Howard Randall	M	Howard and Elizabeth—Belcher
	29 Annie N. McLeod	F	Thomas R. and Nellie—Johnson
	29 Giovanni B. Fabiano	M	Filippo and Michelina—Romalo
May	20 Relina Guidice	F	George and Jennie T.—Monroe
	22	M	
	24 Margaret Frances Sullivan	F	Florence and Mary—Flannagan
	25 James J. Walsh	M	Charles T. and Maria L.—Burns
	25 Harry Ernest Graham	M	William and Sarah A.—Colvin
	27 George Bernard Kiley	M	George and Bertha M.—Sherman
	28 John Alden Croud	M	John S. and Annie—Frawley
June	14 Lena O. Hewins	F	Andrew and Mabel—Hayden
	14 Doris Louise Hayden	F	H. Willie and Carrie E.—Holbrook
	21 Edna Phyllis Lincoln	F	Frank E. and Mary F.—Hayden
	21 William C. Barry	M	Daniel W. and Mary E.—O'Halloran
	24 Beatrice N. Hagar	F	Clarence L. and Annie S.—Dickey
	26 Rita Amanda Dumas	F	William A. and Rose A.—Charron
	27 ——— Spear	M	Albert H. and Clara M.—Jones
	30 Joseph E. Dubois	M	Joseph and Vesta—Ruggles
July	1 Alice V. Zecchini	F	Ferth and Linda—Zecchini
	6 ——— Mann	M	Benjamin and Cassie—Brady
	12 Virgil O. Degara	M	Silvio and Josephine—Crosina
	15 John J. Greenhatch	M	John S. and Lena A.—Fischer
	18 ——— Matheson	M	Kenneth J. and Etta—Mann
	20 James Warren Taylor	M	James W. and Georgie—Murray
	28 ——— Marzvilli	M	Nicola and Maria—Cristalli
August	4 Hattie M. Guild	F	William F. and Hattie F.—Harris

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BIRTHS—*Continued*

Date.	Name of child.	Sex.	Names of parents.
August 8	Walter McCarthy	M	Daniel P. and Annie E.—Murphy
8	Harold McCarthy } twins	M	Daniel P. and Annie E.—Murphy
12	Lillian G. Gaynor	F	Joseph F. and Maggie L.—Conlon
19	Nicholas Nordelli	M	Samuel and Annie—Delonger
23	Ruth Randall Powers	F	Charles R., Jr. and Etta B.—Randall
23	Lawrence Lyford Howard	M	Harold F. and Mollie F.—Kingsbery
25	John Lewis Foster	M	John L. and Annie E.—McCarthy
September 3	Paul H. Boyle	M	Louis H. and Ellen—McGerigle
3	Howard Grover Parkinson	M	Harry and Ethel M.—Grover
4		M	
16	Frances W. Newhall	F	Frank W., Jr. and Mary A.—Stevens
28	Josephine Mullen	F	John and Mary F.—Dear
October 1	Dorothy Irene Miller	F	Guy H. and Maud I.—Bryant
8	Francis Joseph Lipsett	M	Frank and Elizabeth J.—Ryan
14	Ruth Langley	F	Herbert F. and Adeline—Merrill
20	John J. Pearson	M	John J. and Sara F.—Sheridan
23		M	
28	Marshall Henry Sloan	M	Walter H. and Ella E.—Holbrook
November 13	George Joseph Daly	M	William H. and Annie B.—Leslie
16	James Lyons	M	Timothy F. and Elizabeth—Lyons
21	Edwin F. Gibson	M	Arthur S. and Florence—Artman
28	Ruth W. Davis	F	Charles W. and Josephine—Belknap
29	Charles H. Crimmins	M	Henry and Mary—Donovan
December 4	Barbara O'Brien	F	Patrick and Bridget M.—Green
14	Violet May Thomson	F	Percy H. and Edith—Ruggles
27	Elizabeth M. Conley	F	Michael J. and Hannah E.—Foley
30	Miles Edwin Dupres	M	John J. and Gertrude—Warburton

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Date.	Name.	V.	Age. M. D.	Cause of death.	Birthplace.
Jan. 9	Noah Holbrook, m. m.	71	6	Senile pneumonia	Randolph
11	Charles O'Keefe, m. s.	9	10	Accidental drowning	Randolph
12	Thomas Farrell, m. m.	58	3	Cerebral hemorrhage	Randolph
15	Sarah M. Howard, f. w.	86	11	Arterial sclerosis	Jay, Maine
19	Harry A. Washburn, m. m.	39	—	Gen. peritonitis	Boston
24	Angus H. McLeod, m. s.	1	2	Encephalitis	Randolph
3	Elizabeth F. Hurley, f. s.	42	5	Phthisis pulmonalis	Randolph
12	Laura A. Lovering, f. div.	67	3	Carcinoma	Randolph
13	Mary F. Croak, f. m.	56	10	Acute gastritis	Randolph
14	Thomas Whitty, m. w.	74	—	Acute cystitis	Randolph
15	Henry McKeever, m. m.	47	10	Phthisis pulmonalis	New York City
19	Elen Moulton, m. m.	65	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Randolph
26	Annie E. Anderson, f. s.	24	4	Lobular pneumonia	Brockton
29	George W. Averell, m. w.	83	—	Arterio sclerosis	Willington, Vermont
March 8	Patrick H. Walsh, m. w.	82	8	Senility	Ireland
10	Hilma H. Ward, f. s.	17	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Finland
13	Fred C. Ryder, m. s.	28	8	Acute myelolitis	Islesboro, Maine
21	Nicholas Kennedy, m. m.	57	—	Carcinoma	Randolph
25	Dorothy Mary Harris, f. s.	—	17	Congenital malformation	Randolph
April 1	Daniel Kiley, m. w.	77	—	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
13	Carmele DeAngelis, f. s.	5	8	Burns	Boston
15	Mary B. Irvine, f. w.	63	—	Natural causes	Ireland
16	Robert J. Dore, m. s.	41	5	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Milton
19	Colin Boyd, m. m.	79	2	Heart disease	Nova Scotia
23	Edith Alden Tolman, f. s.	3	7	Enterocolitis	Randolph
24	Marie A. Harrison, f. s.	6	11	Pericarditis	Holbrook
24	George M. Bolindell, m. m.	61	—	Carcinoma	Thomson, Maine
27	Annie Weston Howard, f. w.	81	2	Paralysis	Randolph
May 11	Sullivan S. Orcutt, m. w.	82	5	Cerebral hemorrhage	Randolph
21	John T. MacDonald, m. s.	28	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Nova Scotia
24	Charles T. Hayden, m. div.	76	6	Stillborn	Randolph
26	Elizabeth G. McCauley, f. w.	69	8	Pneumonia	Braintree
30	Esther A. Nelson, f. s.	—	—	Heart disease	Lyme, Connecticut
June 2	Sarah J. Dillon, f. w.	83	2	Myocarditis	Brockton
6	Bertha M. Kernan, f. m.	24	1	Syncope	So. Weymouth Randolph

DEATHS—Continued

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Date.	Name.	Age. Y. M. D.	Cause of death.	Birthplace.
June 19	Johanna Hayes, f. w.	95	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
29	Philbrook, m. s.	—	Inanition	Randolph ¹
July 1	George M. Thayer, m. m.	54	Heart disease	Braintree
2	Samuel A. Foster, m. m.	67	Heart disease	Randolph
4	Francis A. Uniac, m. s.	19	Accidental electrocution	Randolph
11	Mary B. Carpenter, f. w.	59	Acute indigestion	Maryland
12	— Spear, m. s.	17	Marasmus	Randolph
18	James W. Clark, m. m.	—	Carcinoma	Randolph
20	William L. Allen, m. m.	57	Heart disease	Boston
20	Robert McLennan, m. m.	54	Cystitis	Ontario
22	Lillias Stewart Trainor, f. w.	67	Cerebral hemorrhage	Scotland
28	Hannah Jones, f. m.	82	Paralysis	Randolph
29	John Moore, m. s.	79	Peritonitis	Randolph
6	Vernon E. Sletson, m. s.	65	Cholera infantum	Randolph
14	Newman L. Knott, m. s.	2	Inflammation of liver	Lyndeboro, N. H.
15	Floretta Lydia Sawyer, f. s.	27	Cholera infantum	Randolph
20	Josephine Alden, f. m.	70	Cerebral hemorrhage	Randolph
31	Mary W. F. Porter, f. div.	67	Carcinoma	Randolph
2	Frank D. Rand, m. m.	60	Cerebral hemorrhage	North Adams
3	Eliza A. Spear, f. w.	79	Heart disease	Randolph
8	Harold Ernest White, m. s.	7	Pneumonia	Randolph
16	Hanora McCarthy, f. m.	2	Apoplexy	Randolph
16	Richard E. Kelley, m. m.	59	Gunshot wound	Ireland
21	Mary Farquhar, f. m.	48	Heart disease	Boston
23	Charles T. Lawless, m. m.	72	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
29	Mary E. Campion, f. s.	62	Ileo colitis	No. Stoughton
5	Francis Lipsett, m. s.	75	Marasmus	Boston
14	John Samuel Lunt, m. s.	1	Intestinal obstruction	Randolph
23	Sarah Elizabeth Law, f. w.	56	Carcinoma	Boston
23	—, m. s.	7	Stillborn	Braintree
25	—, m. s.	—	Stillborn	Randolph
Nov. 22	Nathan Putnam Proctor, m. m.	—	Heart disease	Danvers
25	Adeline Brown, f. m.	54	Typhoid fever	Canada
27	Cornelius O'Connell, m. m.	26	Softening of the brain	Ireland
9	Michael Halpin, m. m.	55	Accidental suffocation	Ireland
12	Charles H. Howard, m. w.	67	Uremic poisoning	Randolph
25		83		

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Drowning, encephalitis, gastritis, senility, mycolitis, congenital malformation, burns, natural causes, enterocolitis, pericarditis, myocarditis, syncope, inanition, electrocution, indigestion, inflammation of liver, apoplexy, gunshot wound, ileo-colitis, intestinal obstruction, typhoid fever, softening of the brain, suffocation, uremic poisoning	one each—24
Peritonitis, cystitis, paralysis, marasmus, cholera infantum, phthisis pulmonalis	two each—12
Stillborn	three—3
Pneumonia, arterio sclerosis, pulmonary tuberculosis	four each—12
Cerebral hemorrhage, carcinoma	six each—12
Heart disease	nine—9
Total	72

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Interments

AT RANDOLPH OF PERSONS DYING ELSEWHERE IN 1908

Date.	Name.	Age.			Place of death.
		Y.	M.	D.	
January 1	Cornelius Sullivan	75	—	—	Holbrook
3	Julia Mullin	70	—	—	Holbrook
3	Mary E. Butts	—	1	6	Quincy
7	John E. O'Reilly	36	11	13	Brockton
8	Maurice E. Flynn	34	—	—	Braintree
11	Thomas A. R. Lynch	24	1	10	Boston
30	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
February 4	Carroll Daly	—	—	4	Quincy
6	Dennis Greaney	41	—	—	Boston
9	Hannah McMahon	38	—	6	Braintree
19	John Callahan	68	—	—	Holbrook
19	Frank Dianto	3	1	9	Braintree
23	Margaret E. Kelly	23	—	—	Rochester, N. Y.
March 22	Gattibe Monick	43	—	—	Braintree
27	Francisca Ricardi	1	8	—	Braintree
April 3	Henry Taylor	24	9	16	Quincy
13	Reginald J. Riley	1	8	13	Brockton
16	Edith Alden Tolman	3	—	7	Mobile, Alabama
23	Joseph D. King	58	—	—	Quincy
May 12	Catherine A. Buckley	41	11	21	Whitman
12	Mary Sullivan	75	—	—	Brockton
15	Catherine Molloy	79	—	—	Worcester
29	Anna M. Reardon	—	—	28	Braintree
31	John L. Shea	1	4	17	Boston
June 3	Edward Sherrin	50	—	—	Brockton
3	Ethel A. Darrah	33	5	11	Boston
4	John Powers	53	—	—	Quincy
5	Helen Burtrem	—	3	23	Canton
6	Harold D. Allen	15	4	4	Brockton
8	Stillborn	—	—	—	Holbrook
July 1	— O'Connell	—	—	1	Quincy
13	Rose Mullen	3	8	1	Brockton
16	Bernard O. Colin	20	2	2	Braintree
17	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
18	John F. Doherty	40	8	—	Avon
18	Hannah H. Berry	82	2	17	Dorchester
21	Mary Farrell	74	—	—	Brockton
29	Catherine Murphy	74	2	14	Brockton
August 5	Richard J. McCarthy	58	—	—	Braintree
10	Bathsheba Howland	88	—	—	Avon
23	Anthony O'Rourke	—	2	24	Braintree
24	Sarah J. Oliver	61	10	17	Avon
31	Gertrude Horrigan	—	11	—	Quincy
September 23	Alfred R. Vincent	—	10	19	Braintree
25	Florence M. Day	—	5	13	Braintree
28	William Frizzell	76	4	—	Rockland
October 8	William J. Tierney	1	8	—	Holbrook
21	Arthur E. Shields	21	2	23	Brockton
November 7	Jerome Devine	78	10	13	Revere

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INTERMENTS—*Continued*

Date.	Name.	Age.			Place of death.
		y.	m.	d.	
November 10	Cannata Nordalli	72	—	—	Braintree
18	James B. Lynch	74	7	—	Somerville
December 3	— O'Brien	—	—	7	Braintree
15	Ellen Connor	46	—	—	Quincy
22	Catherine Hayes	71	—	—	Lawrence
22	Mary Mullen	67	—	—	Hudson

Should any person discover an error in the preceding records, he will confer a favor by notifying the Town Clerk, that correction may be made.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

Town Meeting Warrant.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the first day of March next, at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose all such town officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?"

Article 2. To choose all such town officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the town officers, and act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 209 of the Acts of 1908 of the Public Statutes entitled "an act to provide for the protection of Forest or sprout lands from fire."

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Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

Article 6. To raise money to defray the general town expense for the current year and appropriate the same.

Article 7. To raise money for the repair of highways and determine the manner of expanding the same.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Article 9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the watering of streets.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer Bond for the year 1909-1910, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1909-1910, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 12. To see if the town will make an appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110 G. A. R.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payments of the "Randolph Water Loan."

Article 15. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

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Article 16. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers to enforce the laws and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officers.

Article 17. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Article 18. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year and fix the amount he is authorized to borrow.

Article 19. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer with approval of the Selectmen, to issue notes of the town to replace those now outstanding, the same to be refunded upon such terms as they deem most favorable to the town.

Article 20. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1909.

Article 21. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Collector.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to place an additional electric light on South Main street near the Avon town line, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by E. C. Linfield and others.

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to place a fire alarm box on South Main street between the residence of E. F. Knight and the Avon town line, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by E. C. Linfield and others.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to place an addi-

tional electric light on Silver street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on North Main street between West Corners and Pond Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by J. Thomas Bodycote and others.

Article 26. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk on North Main street from the West Corners to Pond street, and raise and appropriate money for the same as petitioned for by J. Thomas Bodycote and others.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take in relation to spraying the trees of the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 28. To see what action the town will take in regard to fixing the compensation for services of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, and also the Assessors and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 29. To see what action the town will take in relation to insurance and repairs on the Turner Free Library, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 30. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys for the town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise for the ensuing year, except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 31. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys for

TOWN OF RANDOLPH.

the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the waters of "Great Pond," or in the construction of the Water Works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 32. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Article 33. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

The polls will be opened at 5.45 A. M., and remain open until 2 P. M., and such longer time as the voters may determine, but not later than sunset.

And you are directed to serve the Warrant by posting attested copies at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, but make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this fifteenth day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nine.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

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Town Report



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OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, School
Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department,
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health,
Town Clerk and Town Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School
Fund, the Trustees of the Turner Free Library
and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1909

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1909-1910

SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR.

JOHN E. McDONALD,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER.

ASSESSORS.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN	. . .	Term expires 1911.
JOHN E. McDONALD	. . .	Term expires 1910.
CHARLES H. THAYER	. . .	Term expires 1912.

TOWN CLERK AND TREASURER.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

REDMOND P. BARRETT.		Term expires 1910.
EDWARD LONG		Term expires 1911.
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1912.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

DANIEL B. WHITE		Term expires 1910.
RICHARD F. FORREST		Term expires 1911.
WILLIAM F. BARRETT		Term expires 1912.

AUDITORS.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN K. WILLARD, JOHN B. WREN.

CONSTABLES.

FRANK W. HARRIS,	P. JOSEPH RILEY,	JOSEPH H. FOSTER,
LINCOLN STETSON,	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN,	JOHN HANEY,
	FRANK J. DONAHOE.	

TAX COLLECTOR.

EDWARD LONG.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

JOHN H. FIELD, JOSEPH T. LEAHY, EDMUND K. BELCHER, JAMES FARDY.

FENCE VIEWERS.

JAMES RILEY, CHARLES H. COLE, JOHN LYONS.

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHARLES A. WALES, Chief.	WILLIAM A. CROAK, Clerk.
JAMES E. BLANCHE,	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, GEORGE A. ROEL.

WARDEN OF ALMSHOUSE.

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN.

KEEPER OF LOCKUP.

BERNARD MOORE.

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT.

HENRY E. HOLBROOK of Stoughton.

MAY 14 1963

Report of the Assessors

The Assessors herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1909:

VALUATION

	1908	1909	Gain
Real Estate.....	\$1,687,450 00	\$1,716,800 00	\$29,350 00
Personal	318,850 00	349,400 00	30,550 00
	\$2,006,300 00	\$2,066,200 00	\$59,900 00

Value of buildings excluding land.....	\$1,147,150 00
Value of land excluding buildings.....	569,650 00
Value of personal.....	349,400 00
	\$2,066,200 00

Town tax.....	\$50,812 07
State tax.....	3,150 00
State highway tax	68 64
County tax.....	1,971 43
Overlay for abatement of taxes.....	479 90

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Amount to be raised in 1909.....	\$56,482 04
Estimated corporation tax.....	\$2,696 00
Estimated bank tax.....	1,606 06
1089 polls.....	2,178 00
	6,480 00
Amount to be raised on property.....	\$50,002 04
Tax on real estate.....	\$41,546 56
Tax on personal.....	8,455 48
1089 polls.....	2,178 00
Warrant committed to collector, Aug. 7, 1910,	\$52,180 04

ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS

10 polls.....	\$20 00
Old Colony Street Railway Company, excise tax.....	1,331 70
Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway Com- pany excise tax.....	47 40
Tax on personal property.....	1,614 14
	\$3,013 24
Total amount committed to collector,	\$55,193 28
Number of horses assessed.....	244
Number of cows assessed.....	227

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Number of neat cattle.....	2
Number of fowl.....	1,970
Number of dwellings.....	930
Number of acres of land.....	5,532

ESTIMATED VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Almshouse property and farm.....	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land.....	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus.....	5,500 00
One Babcock extinguisher and apparatus.....	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup.....	4,200 00
Land, "Clark Estate".....	1,200 00
Highway plant.....	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land So. Main St.....	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land School St.....	6,000 00
Schoolhouse and land Chestnut St.....	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land Belcher St.....	9,250 00
Land North St.....	200 00
Schoolhouse and land Lafayette St.....	1,600 00
Prescott Schoolhouse and land Ward and School Sts.	17,000 00
Turner High School fund for medals.....	1,000 00
Stetson High School fund.....	20,200 00
Turner Free Library building and land.....	40,000 00
Turner Free Library.....	20,000 00
Turner fund (Library).....	10,000 00
Royal W. Turner Free Library fund.....	20,000 00
Coddington fund	1,900 00

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E. Fanny Belcher lot.....	\$ 1,000 00
Stetson High School.....	32,000 00
Water works.....	164,000 00
	\$394,650 00

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR 1909

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

	Appropriation	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended.
Schools including Stetson High.....	\$14,450 00	\$2,516 47	\$16,966 47	\$16,972 12		
Miscellaneous	1,600 00	185 72	1,785 72	3,156 41	\$5 65	
Almshouse	2,000 00	795 83	2,795 83	3,023 99	1,370 69	
Poor out of almshouse.....	2,800 00	67 15	2,867 15	3,875 71	228 16	
Poor of other town.....		868 98	868 98		1,008 56	
Soldiers' relief.....	450 00		450 00	356 84		93 16
Soldiers' relief, R. & H.....	150 00	170 53	320 53	511 39	191 06	
Highways and removal of snow.....	3,500 00	2,408 31	5,908 31	6,751 89	843 58	
Street watering.....	500 00		500 00	500 00		
Town officers.....	2,250 00	50 00	2,300 00	2,387 59	87 59	
Fire Department.....	2,736 00		2,736 00	3,304 82	568 82	
Water commissioners.....	2,500 00		2,500 00	2,500 00		
Treasurer's Bond.....	120 00		120 00	120 00		
Tax Collector's Bond.....	40 00		40 00	40 00		
Abatement of taxes.....		*479 90	479 90	1,103 90	624 00	
Special police.....	700 00		700 00	783 83	83 83	
Births, marriages, deaths and court fees.....	200 00	101 91	301 91	250 01		51 90
State aid.....		4,370 00	4,370 00	4,370 00		
Military aid.....	125 00	390 00	515 00	585 00	70 00	
Decoration of soldiers' graves.....	150 00		150 00	150 00		
Burial of indigent soldiers.....		148 00	148 00	148 00		
Lockup.....	150 00		150 00	130 83		19 17
Street lighting.....	3,570 00		3,570 00	3,576 19	6 19	
Interest.....	3,000 00		3,581 90	4,270 33		
Reduction of town debt.....	4,980 00	2,581 90	4,980 00	4,980 00		1,311 57
County tax.....	1,971 43		1,971 43	1,971 43		
State tax.....	3,150 00		3,150 00	3,150 00		
State highway tax.....	68 64		68 64	68 64		
Town warden.....	700 00	6 50	706 50	832 41	125 91	
Board of Health.....	125 00		125 00	173 00	48 00	
Pay of physicians.....	250 00		250 00	282 50	32 50	
Turner free library.....	500 00		500 00	500 00		
Care of clocks.....	20 00		20 00	20 00		
New high school.....	1,000 00		1,000 00	1,010 09	10 09	
Overdraft of 1908.....	2,246 07			4,666 75		
New high school construction account.....						
Net amount overdrawn.....	\$56,002 14			\$77,347 93	\$5,304 63	\$1,475 80 3,828 83

*Overlay of taxes.

Report of the Selectmen

The Selectmen herewith submit their report of their doings for the year ending December 31, 1909.

HIGHWAYS

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun according to the usual custom, by scraping the gutters as soon as the ground would permit in the spring. After which, graveling and other repairs were done on the various streets as follows: Warren street, 151 loads gravel, 11 loads stone dust; Main street, 127 loads gravel on sidewalk, 18 loads stone dust, and oiled the street; South Main street, 1,388 loads gravel, repaired bridge near Chas. Young's; Pond street, 95 loads ashes, 50 loads gravel; North Main street, 2,700 feet stone crushed road; blowed large rocks and removed same; Chestnut street, blowed and removed large rock; North street, 159 loads gravel, made new catch-basin; Cottage street, 150 loads gravel; Mill street, 27 loads gravel on sidewalk; Liberty street, 36 loads gravel, removed large stones;

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Allen street, 77 loads gravel, 6 loads stone; Union street, 14 loads gravel; Maple street, 22 loads gravel; West street, 250 loads gravel, repaired bridge; Wales avenue, 16 loads gravel; Silver street, 24 loads gravel; Vine street, 24 loads gravel; Oak street, 114 loads gravel.

We had to repair the scales and have a new frame and platform for the same, and new jaws for the crusher plant. The crusher plant is now in first-class order. Building new fences and repairs on others was quite an expense, cleaned all catch-basins. Mowed the grass and cut the bushes on all streets that needed. Bought new and repaired old snow plows. Crushed 682 200-2,000 tons of stone. Would recommend that there be raised the money to pay the snow bills of 1909 and 1910 as the snow bills are quite large this year.

JAMES E. BLANCHE,

Superintendent of Streets.

TREE WARDEN

Would recommend that there be raised for Gipsy and brown-tail moth \$800.00 as ordered by the state, also \$500.00 for tree warden work.

JAMES E. BLANCHE,

Tree Warden.

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HIGHWAYS

Paid	J. E. Blanche, Superintendent.....	\$555 00
	John Sheehan, labor.....	368 00
	William A. Clark, labor.....	5 00
	Thomas F. Patten, labor.....	40 25
	Daniel Deacon, supplies.....	3 50
	Chapman Valve Co., supplies.....	7 21
	Dyer Supply Co., supplies.....	48 00
	Thomas Deneil, labor.....	17 00
	Thomas Devine, labor.....	26 00
	Michael Devine, labor.....	42 00
	Richard Forrest, labor.....	26 00
	John Farquaher, labor.....	17 00
	James Blythe, labor.....	20 00
	D. Pazone, stone for crusher.....	12 81
	Charles Peck, stone for crusher.....	48 21
	Charles H. Cole, labor.....	5 00
	Charles Trudron, stone for crusher.....	50 09
	Maurice E. Scanlon, stone for crusher.....	17 75
	Edwin F. Knight, stone for crusher.....	31 30
	F. E. Wilder, labor.....	2 00
	Timothy Mullins, labor.....	5 00
	J. G. & B. S. Ferguson, stone for crusher.....	72 93

HIGHWAYS, GENERAL REPAIRS

Paid	Est. John Wales, gravel.....	\$ 89 36
	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight.....	2 43
	C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	25

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Paid	R. E. O'Brien, supplies.....	\$12 00
	George F. Taylor, stock and labor.....	175 68
	John B. McNeill, stock and labor.....	70 85
	James Fardy, stock and labor.....	34 30
	James Carroll, labor.....	23 00
	James Carroll, stone for crusher.....	21 44
	William H. Johnson, labor.....	48 25
	Michael Forrest, labor.....	15 00
	Wesley C. Poole, labor.....	40 00
	Roswell Eddy, labor.....	50 00
	F. E. Stetson, labor.....	4 00
	Timothy Lyons, expressing.....	65
	H. E. Holbrook, gravel.....	19 69
	Francis Riley, labor.....	13 97
	John Harris, labor.....	52 00
	Richard Harris, labor.....	17 00
	Jeremiah Harty, labor.....	17 00
	George Averill, labor.....	22 00
	John F. Desmond, labor.....	10 00
	John Carr, labor.....	58 00
	Michael J. Kiley, labor.....	13 00
	Thomas J. Mullins, labor.....	12 00
	John Wilkinson	18 00
	John F. Gill	13 00
	Mr. E. Leahy, labor and team.....	261 58
	H. L. Paul, labor and team.....	50 75
	Dr. Geo. V. Higgins, services.....	2 00
	James Riley, labor and team.....	59 50
	Martin Holbrook, labor.....	44 25

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Paid	Augustus Forrest, labor.....	\$16 00
	Daniel J. Sullivan, labor.....	7 00
	Ebenezer Holbrook, labor.....	30 50
	Mrs. H. B. Alden, gravel.....	31 08
	Michael Good, labor.....	364 50
	Town teams.....	446 24
	James Barry, labor.....	265 50
	Nicholas Linnehan, labor.....	305 00
	Thomas Duff.....	282 00
	John B. McGrane.....	24 00
	Michael J. O'Connell.....	30 00
	William H. Carroll.....	10 00
	Frank Colombo, labor.....	1 50
	William F. Barrett, weighing stone.....	38 00
	James P. Welch, labor.....	62 00
	Charles Perry, labor.....	6 00
	William Fay, engineer at crusher.....	66 00
	Charles Fish, engineer of steam-roller.....	60 00
	John K. Anderson, labor.....	2 00
	Albert Bickford, labor.....	175 00
	Supplies.....	7 45
	Morton Holbrook, labor.....	4 00
	John T. Wales, labor and team.....	81 00
	Patrick Ryan, labor.....	40 00
	John J. Collins, stone for crusher.....	53 56
	Charles A. Wales, gravel.....	10 92
	C. D. Hill, supplies.....	55
	A. Lizzie Mann, rent (crusher).....	20 00
	Patrick Cullen, gravel.....	1 68

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Paid F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	\$ 84
John Meaney, labor and team.....	134 75
W. Leon Mann, labor and team.....	70 00
James Devine, labor and team.....	42 00
H. F. Libby, stock and labor.....	87 57
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies.....	3 00
Thomas Kiley, labor.....	12 00
Edwin M. Mann, cedar posts.....	7 00
Edwin M. Mann, gravel.....	7 98
The Alden Speare's Sons Co., supplies.....	24 40
The Fairbanks Co., supplies.....	70 20
Lincoln Stetson, gravel.....	20 30
Frank Mann, labor.....	14 00
Walter Dyer, labor.....	4 25
J. Monroe Dyer, labor and team.....	42 44
D. Henderson, labor.....	50
William Dear, labor.....	2 00
Robert Hamilton, labor.....	21 00
Charles McCarthy, labor.....	17 00
Wm. O'Halloran, labor.....	62 00
Michael Crowley, labor.....	23 00
Cornelius Good, labor.....	22 00
Frank Woodman, labor.....	32 00
Geo. F. Taylor, stock and labor.....	8 10
Total	\$5,860 81

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

REMOVING SNOW

Paid James Carroll.....	\$ 11 75
James Devine and others.....	126 24
Albert Bickford and others.....	86 50
Town Teams.....	27 00
Francis Stetson and others.....	63 30
M. E. Leahy and others.....	90 38
John Marcille.....	1 25
Wm. Mahady.....	11 25
James Riley and others.....	23 16
Wm. H. Carroll and others.....	141 50
J. E. Blanche and others.....	99 50
H. L. Paul and others.....	118 25
Edwin F. Knight and others.....	71 50
Town Team.....	19 50
	\$891 08

HIGHWAYS, GENERAL REPAIRS

Summary

Paid General repairs.....	\$5,860 81
Removing snow.....	891 08
	\$6,751 89
 Town appropriation.....	 \$3,500 00
O. C. St. Railway excise tax.....	1,331 70

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Bristol & Norfolk St. Railway excise tax.....	\$ 47 42
Street Railway tax.....	1,029 19
	\$5,908 31
Overdrawn, \$843.58.	

WATERING STREETS

Paid Timothy Lyons.....	\$500 00
Appropriation.....	\$500 00

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid Peter J. McGrath, sealer of weights and measures	\$ 64 05
Herbert W. Pratt, insurance.....	258 90
Timothy Lyons, expressing.....	45 80
W. B. Atherton, teller.....	3 00
Fred M. French, insurance, teller, etc.....	389 47
Frank H. Jaquith, teller, obtaining transcripts, etc.....	11 10
R. E. O'Brien, labor, selectmen's room.....	3 00
A. L. Chase, expenses in Hollis case.....	2 00
M. F. Sullivan, posting warrants and police duty.....	78 50
Thomas L. Stetson, teller.....	6 00
Frank H. Tileston, teller.....	6 00
Hooper, Lewis & Co., check books.....	30 00
James F. Hurley, painting fountain.....	4 00

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Paid James Foley, car fare.....	\$ 30
Nelson Mann, teller.....	3 00
Adams, Cushing & Foster, supplies, selectmen	10 77
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	73 19
Stamps and postage.....	1 80
Wright & Potter, books for Forest Warden...	1 40
Joseph J. McMahon, teller.....	3 00
Otis L. Soule, cash paid.....	50
Wadsworth, Howland Co., supplies.....	10 70
Poole Printing Co., printing.....	11 50
W. E. Sheldon, repairs.....	1 25
James M. Jones, labor on infirmary building	2 00
John E. McDonald, car fares and cash paid...	6 95
City of Quincy, care of prisoners.....	3 15
Allen Bros., stamps for sealer.....	1 75
Southboro Print Co., moth notices.....	1 35
Geo. F. Taylor, labor on infirmary building...	15 00
H. A. Wheeler & Co., repairing flag.....	2 50
Joseph W. O'Mahoney, ballot clerk.....	3 00
Charles A. Wales, labor infirmary building....	6 80
E. W. Campagna, labor on voting booths.....	7 00
Lee H. Porter, paper, etc.....	1 40
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	1 10
Est. of C. H. Nichols, expressing.....	49 14
P. H. McLaughlin, copying assessors cards....	30 00
Lulu B. Harris, skirt.....	6 50
John Haney, extra police duty, car fares, etc..	15 20
Edson N. Roel, new lights and rewiring.....	23 35
P. B. Murphy, printing.....	4 50

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Paid	W. & L. E. Gurley.....	\$57 72
	J. R. McCool.....	15 00
	Thomas Groom & Co.....	1 25
	E. L. Bondakin, recording deeds.....	20 00
	John Harris, watchman infirmary building....	3 00
	John P. Rooney, police duty.....	7 50
	Carl W. Bolin, police duty.....	7 50
	F. J. Donahoe, police duty.....	7 50
	Wm. O'Halloran, watchman infirmary building	26 00
	Frank W. Harris, police duty.....	7 50
	R. & H. Electric Light Co.....	47 50
	F. E. Marsh, sealer's gauge rule.....	1 50
	Post 110 G. A. R., on order of moderator.....	25 00
	Arthur W. Alden, care of hall and selectmen's room.....	120 48
	John W. Shipman, teller.....	3 00
	William F. Barrett, teller.....	3 00
	Hobbs & Warren Co.....	6 10
	Library Bureau.....	34 22
	Carter Ink Co.....	2 50
	J. W. Richardson, surveying.....	6 50
	Edwin M. Mann, wood for selectmen's room..	16 00
	Joseph H. Foster, police duty.....	7 50
	Chas. H. Thayer, attendance on state aid agent and car fares.....	34 30
	Joseph T. Leahy, cash paid in 1908.....	21 60
	Joseph T. Leahy, election expenses.....	13 00
	Joseph T. Leahy, tax deed (paid collector)....	16 50
	Joseph T. Leahy, insurance.....	624 77

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Paid	James W. Farrell, teller.....	\$3 00
	Thomas J. Smith, election officer.....	6 00
	Dennis F. Mahoney, teller.....	6 00
	Wm. W. Hurley, teller.....	3 00
	J. Joseph Hurley, teller.....	3 00
	Richard Harris, election officer.....	10 00
	Register Pub. Co., printing.....	640 75
	R. M. Johnson, dinners.....	21 25
	M. J. Johnson, dinners.....	17 85
	William Mahady, distributing reports and po- lice duty.....	26 75
	A. H. Bartlett, ballots.....	1 70
	Geo. A. Roel, labor on wires and teller.....	17 50
	James J. Shea, teller.....	6 00
	Wm. A. Croak, election officer.....	3 00
	Geo. F. Sawyer, teller.....	3 00
	Daniel P. Lyons, teller.....	3 00

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid	John F. Gill, election officer and labor.....	\$12 00
	Peter Quinn, teller.....	3 00
	Bernard Moore, care of hall and election officer.....	32 25
Total		\$3,156 41
Appropriation.....	\$1,600 00	
Insurance premiums returned.....	185 72	
Overdrawn.....	\$1,370 69	

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The overdraft on the miscellaneous account is largely caused by a change in the method of insuring the town property.

In past years each risk has been insured separately and at a specific rate, varying with the risk, and many of the policies were issued for one year only.

Under the new method a blanket policy is issued covering all property owned by the town and for a term of three years. Under the former method \$127,925.00 insurance for three years cost \$3,127.24 while under the present method \$158,000.00 insurance for three years will cost \$2,022.40.

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

Paid	John E. McDonald.....	\$250 00
	Otis L. Soule.....	200 00
	Charles H. Thayer.....	200 00

Assessors

Paid	Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	\$200 00
	Charles H. Thayer.....	150 00
	John E. McDonald.....	150 00

Town Treasurer

Paid	Joseph T. Leahy.....	\$300 00
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Auditors

Paid	John B. Wren.....	\$20 00
	Michael F. Cunningham.....	20 00
	John K. Willard.....	20 00

Registrars of Voters

Paid	John H. Field.....	\$50 00
	Edmund K. Belcher.....	50 00
	John H. Kelleher.....	50 00
	Joseph T. Leahy.....	75 00

Engineers of Fire Department

Paid	Charles A. Wales.....	\$20 00
	Michael F. Sullivan.....	20 00
	James E. Blanche.....	20 00
	George A. Roel.....	20 00
	William A. Croak.....	30 00

Inspector of Animals

Paid	*James Riley.....	\$100 00
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Collector of Taxes

Paid	Arthur W. Alden, collection of taxes 1905-06-07	
	-08.....	\$187 59
	Edward Long, collection of taxes 1909.....	255 00
		\$2,387 59

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Appropriation.....	\$2,250 00
*Refunded by State.....	50 00
Overdrawn.....	\$87 59

COURT FEES AND BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

Paid John Haney, court fees.....	\$64 25
James Foley, court fees.....	1 20
John B. Wren, returning deaths.....	13 20
John B. Wren, returning births.....	15 00
Henry Hathorne, court fees.....	14 59
Lowe, Smith & Powers, returning deaths.....	1 75
Ernest H. Bishop, court fees.....	4 55
Joseph L. Pullen, court fees.....	1 80
William M. Marden, court fees.....	10 75
James R. Qualey, court fees.....	3 70
Thomas B. Jones, court fees.....	5 79
John Marcille, court fees.....	3 94
E. Lawrence Paine, court fees.....	9 39
Amos Loring, court fees.....	85
A. L. Chase, returning births.....	1 75
F. C. Granger, returning births.....	6 00
Geo. V. Higgins, returning births.....	5 00
E. P. Linfield, returning births.....	1 75
Cartwright & Hurley, returning deaths.....	16 25
Joseph T. Leahy, recording.....	68 45
	\$250 01

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Appropriation.....	\$200 00	
Credits.....	101 91	
Unexpended.....		\$51 90

SPECIAL POLICE

Paid John Haney.....	\$687 83	
James Foley.....	96 00	
		\$783 83

Appropriation.....	\$700 00	
Overdrawn.....		\$83 83

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid Engineers.....	\$3,304 82	
Appropriation.....	\$2,636 00	
Appropriation Fire Alarm box.....	100 00	
Overdrawn.....		\$568 82

SCHOOLS

Paid Sundry accounts.....	\$16,972 12	
(See Report of School Committee)		
Appropriation.....	\$14,450 00	
Credits.....	2,117 83	
Credit Balance Building Fund.....	398 64	
Overdraft.....		\$5 65

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STREET LIGHTING

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co.....	\$3,576 19
Appropriation.....	\$3,435 00
Appropriation.....	13 50
Appropriation.....	13 50
Appropriation.....	67 50
Appropriation.....	40 50
	\$3,570 00
Overdrawn.....	\$6 19

TREASURER'S BOND

Paid American Surety Co.....	\$120 00
Appropriation.....	\$120 00

TAX COLLECTOR'S BOND

Paid O'Neil & Parker.....	\$40 00
Appropriation.....	\$40 00

DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Paid Horace Niles Post 110 G. A. R.....	\$150 00
Appropriation.....	\$150 00

ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Paid Arthur W. Alden, Collector for 1905-06.....	\$1,103 90
Appropriation overlay of taxes.....	\$479 90
Overdrawn.....	624 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Paid Water commissioners.....	\$2,500 00
Appropriation.....	\$2,500 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Paid for Albertina Hinckley.....	\$53 50
John J. Thornton.....	81 54
Hugh Currie and family.....	106 50
James Crannage.....	44 00
Melissa White.....	33 30
Aid to be refunded.....	38 00

\$356 84

Appropriation.....	\$450 00
Unexpended.....	93 16

SOLDIERS' RELIEF WHOSE MILITARY SETTLEMENT IS IN RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK

Paid Mrs. Thomas F. Hand.....	\$ 77 25
Mrs. Elvira Holbrook.....	60 00
George F. French.....	3 11
Mrs. Lawrence Leavitt.....	139 60
LeRoy S. Hollis, at Weymouth.....	202 00
George W. Cook, at Newton.....	16 00
Charles Eddy, at Stoughton.....	13 63

\$511 59

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Appropriation.....	\$150 00	
Paid by Holbrook.....	170 53	
	\$320 53	
Overdrawn.....		\$191 06

MILITARY AID

Paid Eugene Ward.....		\$162 00
Charles P. Thayer.....		168 00
Charles Tileston.....		155 00
LeRoy S. Hollis.....		100 00
		\$585 00
Appropriation.....	\$125 00	
To be paid by State.....	292 50	
To be paid by Holbrook.....	97 50	
Overdrawn.....		\$70 00

STATE AID

Paid sundry persons.....	\$4,370 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

BOARD OF HEALTH

Paid John B. Wren, fumigating.....	\$46 50
Melvin & Badger, repairing machine.....	4 90

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Paid Cartwright & Hurley, fumigating.....	\$36 60
Sundry persons, killing and burial of dogs.....	6 00
National Chemical Co., supplies.....	15 00
George E. Bolling, exam. cultures.....	4 00
Charles H. Thayer, services.....	20 00
Otis L. Soule, services.....	20 00
John E. McDonald, services.....	20 00
	\$173 00

Appropriation.....	\$125 00
Overdrawn.....	48 00

Owing to the fact that a number of cases of contagious disease have been reported to the Board of Health, we would respectfully recommend that for the ensuing year an appropriation be made to successfully carry on the work of this department in conformity with the requirements of the public health.

BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS

Paid for Edwin Howard.....	\$37 00
Robert Dickey.....	37 00
Mary A. Hand.....	37 00
Carrie Miller.....	37 00
	\$148 00

No appropriation.

To be refunded by State.

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LOCKUP

Paid	Arthur W. Alden, salary.....	\$75 00
	Arthur W. Alden, supplies.....	8 75
	D. B. White, fuel.....	7 50
	Rand Coal Co., fuel.....	7 75
	R. E. O'Brien, labor.....	1 30
	Frank F. Smith, charcoal.....	1 28
	Edson N. Roel, labor.....	1 00
	Bernard Moore, salary.....	25 00
	Bernard Moore, supplies.....	2 75
	C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	50
		\$130 83

Appropriation.....	\$150 00
Unexpended.....	19 17

TREE WARDEN

Paid	Royal T. Mann.....	\$ 79 25
	J. E. Blanche.....	726 90
	Collins Hardware Co.....	9 50
	Wm. Claflin & Co.....	16 76
		\$832 41

Appropriation.....	\$700 00
Credit.....	6 50
Overdrawn.....	\$125 91

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

REDUCTION OF TOWN DEBT

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer..... \$4,980 00
Appropriation, \$4,980 00.

TURNER FREE LIBRARY

Paid N. Irving Tolman..... \$500 00
Appropriation, \$500 00.

STATE TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens..... \$3,150 00
Appropriation, \$3,150 00.

STATE HIGHWAY TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens..... \$68 64
Appropriation, \$68 64.

COUNTY TAX

Paid Henry D. Humphrey..... \$1,971 43
Appropriation, \$1,971 43

INTEREST

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer..... \$4,270 33
Appropriation..... \$3,000 00
Credits..... 2,581 90
Unexpended..... \$1,311 57

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CARE OF CLOCKS

Paid Arthur W. Alden.....	\$20 00
Appropriation, \$20 00.	

NEW HIGH SCHOOL GRADING

Paid Hurd & Gore.....	\$123 24
Rege Publishing Co.....	1 75
Albert Bickford.....	120 20
Geo. H. Weatherbee.....	50 00
Emerson & Norris Co.....	287 00
H. L. Paul.....	300 00
James Fardy.....	7 90
Dexter T. Clark.....	20 00
	\$1,010 09
Appropriation.....	\$1,000 00
Overdrawn.....	\$10 09

NEW HIGH SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

Paid Mead, Mason & Co.....	\$4,666 75
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Report of the Overseers of the Poor

The Overseers of the Poor herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

The amount expended for aid to the poor out of Almshouse is so much in excess of the appropriation, owing to the fact that the sum of \$1,191.84 was paid to the McDonald Hospital at Brookline for two inmates. One died during the year; the other is still at the hospital.

At the Almshouse Mr. M. M. Sullivan and wife continue in charge as warden and matron. The overseers are well pleased with the manner in which the home is conducted. Average expense per inmate \$2.31.

ALMSHOUSE

Paid Timothy Lyons.....	\$13 50
Theodore Hayden.....	7 00
H. L. Paul.....	43 05
N. E. Buck.....	186 53
M. M. Sullivan.....	500 00
M. M. Sullivan, cash paid.....	4 00

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Paid Wm. Crossley.....	\$9 00
Walter M. Howard.....	48 21
P. H. McLaughlin.....	70 04
Howard Randall.....	13 00
Geo. H. Eddy.....	164 41
R. J. McAuliffe.....	141 19
F. Dianto.....	259 25
Flagg & Willis.....	39 00
Eugene Thayer.....	202 80
F. W. Hayden & Co.....	111 73
C. D. Hill.....	117 87
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.....	5 10
R. E. O'Brien.....	87 49
James Fardy.....	86 01
Wm. Mahady.....	5 00
Swift Fertz Co.....	43 05
M. E. Leahy.....	104 10
Cartwright & Hurley.....	27 00
C. Fred Lyon.....	138 35
Robert Taylor.....	94 90
W. H. Richardson.....	3 00
M. Stanton.....	1 70
T. J. Cummings.....	25 78
John J. Bowen.....	5 00
Rand Clothing Co.....	45 78
Rand Coal Co.....	98 25
Geo. F. Taylor.....	8 98
Ben F. Hayden.....	2 00
M. J. McGaughey.....	4 50

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Paid Katharine A. Hand.....	\$20 00
Wm. P. Sullivan.....	96 90
Herbert F. Reynolds.....	54 76
John B. McNeill.....	26 07
James E. Blanche.....	13 00
C. W. Moulton Co.....	6 50
J. A. Brennan.....	41 50
J. D. Murphy.....	2 00
J. Breck & Sons Co.....	1 75
James Riley.....	3 00
Otis Soule.....	2 00
Wm. D. Hatchfield.....	75
Lee H. Porter.....	36 19
Albert Bickford	3 00
	\$3,023 99

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Stock on hand December 31, 1908.....	\$2,522 55
Salaries and Supplies, 1909.....	3,023 99
	\$5,546 54

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Stock on hand, December 31, 1909.....	\$2,713 00
Labor of town team.....	473 24
Sale of produce.....	212 59
Sale of hearse.....	5 00

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Sale of mowing machine.....	\$5 00
Board.....	100 00
Net expense.....	2,037 71

\$5,546 54

Appropriation.....	\$2,000 00
Labor town team.....	473 24
Sale of produce.....	212 59
Sale of hearse.....	5 00
Sale of mowing machine.....	5 00
Board.....	100 00

\$2,795 83

Overdrawn, \$228.16.

Persons supported in the Almshouse for the year ending December 31, 1909:

	WEEKS
William Doyle.....	52 1/7
Bartholomew Gill.....	52 1/7
Timothy Sullivan.....	52 1/7
Emory Holbrook.....	52 1/7
Thomas Curran.....	52 1/7
Mary Sloan.....	52 1/7
Margaret Pierce.....	52 1/7
Cassie Conrad.....	52 1/7
Louis Jones.....	52 1/7
Joseph Parejis.....	52 1/7

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*Allen Belcher.....	15 4/7
*Patrick Kiley.....	2
Albert White.....	42 4/7
Thomas Patten.....	34 4/7
*Christopher Purcell.....	18 3/7
Patrick K. Kiley.....	12 3/7
†Neil Johnson.....	9 3/7
John Desmond.....	21 4/7
John Hayes.....	42 3/7
Charles Weeks.....	41 3/7
Patrick Riley.....	40 4/7
David Foley.....	21 1/7
David Garrity.....	9 6/7
†Thomas Ward.....	6 1/7
Mrs. P. Buckley.....	21 2/7
†Mrs. Lillian Prior.....	6 5/7
†Madaline Prior.....	5
William P. Fox.....	11 4/7

*Dead. †Gone.

ALMSHOUSE AND TOWN FARM

Appraisal of stock, furniture, etc., December 31, 1909:

160 Pounds beans.....	\$8 00
2 Cows.....	100 00
2 Horses.....	300 00

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26 Fowl.....	\$24 00
1 Road scraper.....	75 00
1 Farm wagon.....	30 00
2 Tip carts.....	60 00
1 Harness.....	5 00
2 Sets harness.....	50 00
1 Swing drag.....	30 00
1 Mowing machine.....	37 00
1 Hay rake.....	23 00
5 Tons hay.....	100 00
2 Gravel screens.....	10 00
1 Two horse cart.....	75 00
1 Set double harness.....	30 00
1 Two horse sled.....	40 00
1 Tool chest.....	5 00
1 Hay cutter.....	5 00
6 Draught chains.....	12 00
1 Carriage and harness.....	50 00
1 Grindstone.....	4 00
1 Street lamp.....	5 00
5 Cuspidors.....	2 50
22 Iron bedsteads.....	77 50
17 Bed springs.....	55 00
2 Feather beds.....	10 00
45 Feather pillows.....	25 00
50 Pillow slips.....	10 00
20 Mattresses.....	58 00
Lamps and Lanterns.....	4 00
25 Lamp Chimneys.....	1 50

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1 Ice chest.....	\$40 00
Wooden and tinware.....	15 00
65 Sheets.....	26 00
60 Blankets.....	60 00
28 Bed spreads.....	22 00
8 Comforters.....	8 00
55 Towels.....	5 50
5 Table cloths.....	5 00
4 Tables.....	4 00
1 Walnut table.....	3 00
1 Extension table.....	8 00
9 Rocking Chairs.....	9 00
44 Chairs.....	12 00
1 Woolen carpet.....	25 00
5 Brooms and 2 brushes.....	2 00
4 Scrubbing brushes.....	50
2 Feather dusters.....	3 00
1 Carpet sweeper.....	2 50
3 Clothes wringers.....	12 50
2 Coal hods and shovels....	2 00
1 Fire extinguisher.....	18 00
12 Dry fire extinguishers.....	20 00
175 Feet hose.....	19 00
1 Hospital bed.....	30 00
Oats, corn and meal.....	12 00
6 Snow plows.....	150 00
Derricks and chains.....	100 00
1 Sleigh.....	5 00
Robe and blanket.....	7 00

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1	Lawn mower.....	\$7 00
1	Bread mixer.....	2 50
3	Hose hangers.....	75
1	Steel door mat.....	2 00
	Range and boiler.....	50 00
	Ladders.....	8 00
	Fence wire.....	1 00
7	Cords manure.....	35 00
	Supplies including shirts, stockings, and under- wear.....	10 00
	Baskets.....	1 50
	Peck measure.....	50
1	Cultivator.....	8 00
2	Plows.....	10 00
1	Harrow.....	5 00
	Forks, shovels and bar.....	12 00
	Iron bars and picks.....	5 00
1	Stone roller.....	4 00
1	Wheel barrow.....	3 00
2	Axes.....	1 00
1	Tobacco cutter.....	1 00
1	Scythe and snath.....	2 00
	Bit stock and bits.....	3 50
2	Hand saws and planes.....	3 00
1	Cross cut saw.....	1 50
8	Drills.....	10 00
1	Stone hammer.....	1 50
12	Empty barrels.....	1 20
2	Cords wood.....	12 00

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17 Tons coal.....	\$119 00
7 Tons Franklin coal.....	5600
Vegetables.....	75 00
1 Barrel flour.....	7 00
275 Pounds pork.....	41 25
75 Pounds lard.....	12 00
35 Pounds butter.....	10 50
260 Pounds sugar.....	13 00
5 Pounds coffee.....	1 25
75 Pounds Tea.....	37 00
10 Pounds tobacco.....	4 50
15 Gallons oil.....	1 80
1 Kerosene tank.....	10 00
100 Preserve jars.....	10 00
4 Screen doors.....	5 00
25 Window screens.....	15 00
2 Storm doors.....	5 00
2 Wash boilers.....	5 00
4 Soapstone tubs.....	35 00
25 Bars soap.....	1 25
1 Oil stove.....	1 00
2 Wood saws and horse.....	3 00
2 Clocks.....	3 00
2 Mirrors.....	2 00
Crockery ware.....	40 00
1 Washing machine.....	10 00
100 Quarts preserves.....	10 00
45 Gallons molasses.....	27 50
1 Barrel crackers.....	2 50
	\$2,713 00

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POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE

Paid for Mrs. Michael Lee.....	\$95 50
Mrs. P. H. Meaney and family.....	239 90
Mrs. John C. Welch.....	207 06
Mrs. John Clifford.....	152 80
John Desmond.....	48 00
Mrs. Emery Lyon at Canton.....	106 21
Mrs. John Leahy.....	121 22
James E. Lothrop.....	150 19
Mrs. Jefferson Lewis.....	3 17
David J. Foley at Boston.....	104 26
Mrs. Henry Burrill.....	194 30
Eva White's children.....	143 46
Mrs. Bridget Kennedy at Holyoke.....	93 35
Mrs. Ann Shea at Boston.....	22 86
Lester Holbrook.....	25 00
John P. Alexander.....	80 10
Mary McCarthy.....	115 00
Charles Linfield.....	26 00
Augustus Tirrell at Quincy.....	25 50
Frank S. Wood at New Bedford.....	21 00
Florence DeForest at Brockton.....	51 00
Sumner Thayer.....	60 45
John Sylvester.....	106 25
Roswell Eddy.....	3 00
Flora Alden McDonald Hospital.....	738 00
Mrs. Wm. D. Hatchfield McDonald Hospital	453 84
Richard D. Fox, State Hospital.....	8 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid for Mrs. John F. Walsh.....	\$66 50
Thomas Kenney.....	91 03
John F. Beyette at Rockland.....	21 25
Martin S. Poppy at Hanover.....	140 00
Catharine Welch.....	2 84
William E. Fox and family at Brockton.	25 06
Mrs. John J. Prior.....	18 00
Charles Campbell and family at Brockton	10 81
Persis Barrows at Brockton.....	40
Aid to sundry persons.....	104 40
	\$3,875 71

Appropriation.....	\$2,800 00
Credits.....	67 15

Overdrawn, \$1,008.56.

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

Paid for A. M. Nightingale, Duxbury.....	\$112 50
Mrs. Hattie A. Shaw, Abington.....	186 18
Mrs. F. L. Shurtleff, Brockton.....	18 00
Mrs. John E. Glover, Quincy.....	18 50
Hiram Hayden and family, Braintree.....	57 32
John Pearson.....	7 00
Mrs. B. Purcell, Avon.....	2 08
S. G. Bailey, Billerica.....	86 50
Willard E. Tucker, Taunton.....	14 53

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Paid for David Burrell, Canton.....	\$79 76
Arthur Bump and family, Brockton.....	151 86
S. G. Beale and family, Quincy.....	92 90
Frederick Knight, Boston.....	5 00
Guy Miller, Hyde Park.....	4 15
Patrick Ryan, Holliston.....	32 70
	\$868 98

No appropriation.

PAY OF PHYSICIANS

Paid W. F. Holmes.....	\$39 00
A. L. Chase.....	50 00
C. C. Farnham.....	50 00
Warren M. Babbitt.....	43 50
Geo. V. Higgins.....	50 00
F. C. Granger.....	50 00
	\$282 50
Appropriation.....	\$250 00
Overdrawn.....	\$32 50

CASH RECEIVED BY THE SELECTMEN

Labor of town teams.....	\$473 24
Sale of produce at Almshouse.....	212 59

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Sale of hearse (almshouse).....	\$5 00
Sale of mowing machine.....	5 00
Board at Almshouse.....	100 00
Aid to sundry persons refunded.....	149 65
Money returned to Tree Warden.....	6 50
Use of telephone.....	1 30
Circus license.....	2 00
Insurance premium returned.....	185 72
	\$1,141 00

RANDOLPH, January 29, 1910.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN P. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Estimates of Expenses for 1910

Schools.....	\$15,050 00
Fire Department.....	2,486 00
Town officers.....	2,250 00
Miscellaneous.....	1,800 00
Tree Warden.....	1,300 00
Repairs of highways.....	3,500 00
Street loan note.....	500 00
Street loan note.....	630 00
New High School note.....	1,500 00
Reduction Town debt note.....	1,500 00
Poor in Almshouse.....	2,000 00
Poor out of Almshouse.....	3,500 00
Soldiers' relief.....	500 00
Soldiers' relief, Randolph and Holbrook.....	200 00
Military aid.....	150 00
Street lighting.....	3,600 00
Interest on Town debt.....	4,000 00
Treasurer's bond.....	120 00
Medical attendance on poor.....	300 00
Board of Health.....	300 00
Lockup.....	150 00
Water Commissioners' sinking fund.....	2,500 00

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Special police.....	\$700 00
Watering streets.....	500 00
Tax collector's bond.....	40 00
	\$49,076 00

List of Jurors

Bradley, Henry J., Ward St.....	Shoemaker
Beal, Ira E., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Shoemaker
Bump, George W., North St.....	Machinist
Casey, Peter, Pleasant St.....	Shoemaker
Cottle, Edmund, Main St.....	Retired
Clark, James W., Liberty St.....	Shoemaker
Cole, Charles H., Pond Lane.....	Farmer
Dowd, James, North St.....	Shoemaker
Desmond, Jeremiah J., Pleasant St.....	Bookkeeper
Daly, Michael J., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Agent
Eddy, Cyrus M., North St.....	Shoemaker
French, Fred M., North Main St.....	Insurance
Forrest, Augustus, Mill St.....	Shoemaker
Faunce, Hiram S., Union St.....	Janitor
Flaherty, Edward, Silver St.....	Laster
Frier, Adolphus S., Belcher St.....	Janitor
Good, Cornelius, North St.....	Laborer
Hayden, Isaac W., North St.....	Carpenter
Holbrook, Arthur H., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Carpenter
Holmes, Albert, Roel St.....	Retired
Hagar, Clarence L., West St.....	Laborer
Huff, George S., North St.....	Shoe Cutter

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Jones, Herbert A., North St.....	Shoemaker
Lovejoy, George A., North St.....	Agent
Lyons, Walter H., North Main St.....	Agent
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.....	Salesman
Long, James F., Cottage St.....	Shoemaker
Leavitt, William H., North Main St.....	Bookkeeper
Makepeace, Edgar B., South Main St.....	Conductor
Mann, Edwin M., North Main St.....	Wood Dealer
Mahady, William, North St.....	Janitor
Mann, Rufus E., Pleasant St.....	Laborer
Mann, Walter A., West St.....	Florist
Mahoney, Dennis F., West St.....	Retired
Marcille, John C., Center St.....	Laborer
Moore, Bernard, Howard St.....	Shoemaker
O'Mahoney, Joseph W., Pleasant St.....	Clerk
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel St.....	Newsdealer
McDonald, Joseph, North St.....	Contractor
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.....	Shoemaker
Pope, David, Warren St.....	Retired
Quinn, Peter, North St.....	Shoemaker
Reynolds, George A., High St.....	Farmer
Roel, George A., North Main St.....	Electrician
Stetson, Francis E., North St.....	Farmer
Shaw, Herman, South Main St.....	Shoemaker
Willard, John K., North St.....	Tallow Dealer

JOHN E. McDONALD,

OTIS L. SOULE,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

TURNER FREE LIBRARY

Trustees, 1909.

JOHN V. BEAL, President.

HENRY A. BELCHER, Vice-President.

N. IRVING TOLMAN, Treasurer.

WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, Secretary.

JOHN E. McDONALD, CHARLES H. THAYER,

OTIS L. SOULE,

SELECTMEN OF RANDOLPH, *Ex-Officiis*,

ASA P. FRENCH,

JOHN E. BRADLEY,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON, FRANK C. GRANGER,

MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH,

MRS. CLARA A. WALES,

MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE.

Librarian,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM.

Assistant Librarian,

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER.

Public Library

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-third annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees, as seem of general interest.

The Library Committee (consisting of Mr. John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach, Mrs. Clara A. Wales, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree and Mr. John E. Bradley) with the assistance of the Librarian, have found the books, charts and furnishings in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Committee on Building (consisting of Messrs. Henry A. Belcher, Winthrop B. Atherton, Patrick H. McLaughlin, N. Irving Tolman and John E. McDonald) through their chairman, report that the walls and ceilings of the corridor and rooms used for library purposes have been renovated. A few repairs and furnishings are still needed. To meet the expense of these the committee recommend that the town appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars.

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The Committee on Finance (consisting of Messrs. Asa P. French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Herbert W. Pratt and Charles H. Thayer) reports as follows:

Randolph, Mass., January 1, 1910.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee, through its chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1909, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The committee has also examined the securities representing the investments of the library funds, and has found them intact and as shown by the schedule contained in the Treasurer's report. No change has been made in the investments during the past financial year.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer are hereto subjoined, which show in detail the actual receipts and expenditures of the library and the usefulness and results obtained therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,
President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 1, 1910.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Library,

Ladies and Gentlemen:

My annual report of the work of the Library for the year ending December 31, 1909, is submitted for your consideration.

It gives me pleasure to assure you that the year just closed has not only been one of continued activity and usefulness, and that the duties in each department have been discharged efficiently, but that our circulation has reached the highest record in our history of thirty-four years, exceeding the record breaker of 1908 by a margin of 1,258 volumes.

The accompanying table of statistics will inform you as far as figures can do so concerning what has been attempted and accomplished; but it can scarcely be expected in a town whose population does not increase in number that the public library records will materially differ from year to year, and while the circulation for home use, the attendance in the reference department, and the work in other departments for 1909 exhibits but little improvement over that of former years, still we are gratified that the character and demeanor of those who visit the library give encouraging evidence of an interest on the part of young and old, which should prove gratifying to those who cherish wise ideals concerning the results which a public library should accomplish in a community like ours.

Miss Belcher is giving excellent satisfaction as Assistant Librarian, being pleasant, patient and painstaking, three most excellent qualities for the service required.

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Mr. Restaurick, as custodian of the Reading Room, continues to preserve excellent decorum while retaining pleasant relations with all attendants; he seems peculiarly qualified to fill, in a happy way, a somewhat difficult position.

Circulating Department

The library has been open to the public 270 days and during that time the number of books issued has been 26,298; a daily average of 97+.

The largest daily circulation was on February 15	496
The smallest daily circulation was on September 15 . .	15
The largest monthly circulation was in February	2,966
The smallest monthly circulation was in August	462

Accession Department

The number of volumes in the library, December 31, 1908, was 21,791.

The number of volumes in the library December 31, 1909, is 22,277.

Showing an accessional increase of 486. Of this number there were acquired by purchase, 270; by individual donation, 45; by Government and State donations, 141.

Reference Department

The work in this department with its many details has gone on much as in 1908, no unusual requirements being exacted and no very important purchases made.

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Reading Room

This department is fairly well furnished with papers and periodicals, yet it is possible that the purchase of two or three publications like the "Harper's Bazaar" could profitably be added to gratify the ladies who frequent the room. The quiet in this room is excellent even with a large and increasing attendance. The report of the Custodian can be found in the general statistical table.

Art Department

The Library has received from the Massachusetts Art Club sixteen collections of choice pictures, all of which have been placed on exhibition in the Reading Room. The exhibits have been : Rise of Sculpture, No. 2; Italian Art, No. 1; Italian Art, No. 2; Shakespeare, No. 2; Yellowstone, No. 1; Concord; Amiens; American Sculpture; Southern coast of England; Pompeii; Walter Crane, No. 2; Scotland, No. 1; Florence, No. 3; Famous Pictures, No. 4; Norway, No. 2; Historic dress in America.

These several exhibits have been worthy of a larger patronage, and the people of the town could gain much valued information from a careful study of these copies of works of art.

I have been making a careful estimate of the number of volumes which the patrons of the Library have borrowed from the Library during the nearly completed thirty-four years of its service. These figures do not include the Reading Room or Reference Department, and I find the grand total to be 694,131.

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Redecorating and Cleaning

It seems very nice after more than thirty years of hard usage to have the old and sadly soiled frescoing give place to a nice clean coat of oil paint and to enjoy the quiet of a rubber and cork protector upon the floor.

In Conclusion

I have only to thank you ladies and gentlemen of the Board for kindness shown to me in the past, and I trust with continued mutual helpfulness that future years may bring to the Library abundant success.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,

Librarian.

Randolph, Mass., December 31, 1909.

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1909	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total, 1909	Total, 1908
Number of days open.....	25	23	27	25	25	26	14	3	25	26	25	26	270	274
Total circulation.....	2,736	2,966	2,817	2,527	2,058	2,133	1,374	462	2,002	2,327	2,367	2,529	26,298	25,040
Average daily circulation.....	109	129	104+	101	82	82	98	154	80	89	94+	97+	97+	91+
Date of largest circulation....	25	15	13	26	10	19	3	28	7	29	13	22	....	....
Largest circulation	368	496	482	306	289	344	303	252	326	237	374	294	496	390
Date of smallest circulation...	8	16	25	23	4	3	13	30	15	5	12	18	....	Jan. 7
Smallest circulation.....	31	19	15	36	25	23	20	62	15	24	26	36	15	5
Volumes added .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	486	561
Total volumes in library.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	22,277	21,791
Registered card holders.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,699	1,500
Fines collected.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	\$32.00	\$44.00
Reading room attendance.....	908	759	866	725	544	497	376	95	608	978	1,033	791	8,180	7 mos. 4,257
Reading room daily average....	36	32	32	29	22	19	27	32	24+	38-	41	30	30+	

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,

Librarian.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

January 1, 1910.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the by-laws, I herewith submit my annual report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library.

RECEIPTS

Income Turner Fund.....	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund.....	800 00
Rent Randolph Savings Bank.....	300 00
Rent, C. Fred Lyons.....	250 00
Rent, Ladies Library Association.....	7 50
Fines and collections.....	56 00
Randolph Savings Bank, fuel 1908.....	83 17
Interest Boston Elevated Bonds.....	225 00
Town appropriation insurance and repairs.....	500 00
Balance January 1, 1909.....	331 59
	\$3,055 26

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid for books.....	\$319 27
Paid for periodicals.....	90 60
Paid for book binding.....	66 39
Salary of Librarian.....	600 00
Salary of Assistant Librarian.....	250 00
Salary of Janitor.....	150 00

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Salary of Custodian.....	\$101 90
Electric light.....	100 00
Supplies.....	15 28
Express.....	11 50
Library Art Club.....	6 00
Fuel.....	296 00
Printing.....	33 75
Rent Safe Deposit box.....	10 00
Rent Post Office box.....	2 40
Repairs.....	319 25
Floor covering.....	58 36
Balance December 31, 1909.....	624 58
	\$3,055 26

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	EACH
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy bond of.....	\$1,000
2 Chicago & West Michigan bonds.....	1,000
1 Old Colony R. R. bond.....	1,000
1 Western Telephone & Telegraph bond.....	1,000
1 New York Central & Hudson River R. R. bond.....	1,000
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western bonds.....	500
3 Union Pacific bonds.....	500
33 Shares of the preferred stock of the Union Pacific R. R.	

The Royal W. Turner Legacy is invested in:

	EACH
10 Old Colony bonds of.....	\$1,000
10 Wayne County, Michigan.....	1,000

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The remaining funds of the Library are represented by:
5 Bonds Boston Elevated R. R. of \$1,000 each.

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN,

Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR 1909

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE

EDWARD LONG, Chairman.

REDMOND P. BARRETT, Secretary.

REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1910.
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1911.
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND	Term expires 1912.

TRUSTEES OF THE STETSON SCHOOL FUND

EDWARD LONG, Chairman.

FRED M. FRENCH, Secretary.

REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1910.
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1911.
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND	Term expires 1912.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

WATSON C. LEA.

Residence, Holbrook. Telephone, Randolph 48-1.
Office, School Committee Rooms. Tuesday, 3 to 4 o'clock P. M.

Regular meeting of the School Committee last Friday of the month, 7.30 P. M.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1910-1911

Open 3 January, 1910.	
Close 18 March	11 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Open 4 April, 1910	
Close 24 June	12 weeks
Summer Vacation 10 weeks	
Open 6 September (term begins 5 September)	
Close 16 December	15 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Open 2 January, 1911	
Close 31 March	13 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Open 17 April	
Close 23 June	10 weeks

LEGAL HOLIDAYS in Term Time: 22 February, 1910; 19 April, 1910; 30 May, 1910; 5 September, 1910; Thanksgiving Day, 1910; 22 February, 1911; 19 April, 1911; 30 May, 1911.

Report of School Committee

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The School Committee make and submit for your consideration their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

At the close of the winter term the Stetson High School vacated the rooms in the Stetson Hall building, which for seventy years had been devoted to school purposes.

The change was one that caused little or no regret; on the contrary it had been looked forward to with feelings of pleasant anticipation.

In the new building would be found more pleasing environments that would make school life and school work more interesting and attractive.

This has been proven by the present enrollment, the largest in the history of the school.

Extensive repairs were made on the old furniture, sufficient to equip three classrooms.

New furniture was purchased for the assembly Hall, the laboratory and one classroom.

The teachers and pupils have aided much in providing furnishings, where the board were without funds to procure them.

Among others a handsome new piano and a reading desk for the Assembly Hall.

A magnificent roll top desk for the principal's room, also largely the furnishings in the assistant teachers' room.

While anticipating the needs of Memorial Day, we learned the school were to receive a flag and flag pole, the gift of Miss Abby Turner, Mrs. Alice W. Beach and Mrs. H. H. Rountree. The committee take this opportunity to duly acknowledge this generous contribution to the school, and to express in behalf of the pupils and townspeople their thanks and appreciation of this beautiful gift.

On the occasion of the formal presentation, appropriate exercises were held on the school grounds, followed by a very interesting and instructive programme in the Assembly Hall.

A pleasing feature of the day was an address by Admiral Wilde, one of the heroes of Manila Bay. This was surely flag day at the Stetson High School, as a flag for classroom exercises was presented by the Grand Army of the Republic, also a beautiful silk flag adorns the stage of the Assembly Hall, through the liberality of the Women's Relief Corps. We extend our thanks also to the Ladies' Library Association for the handsome allegorical picture which hangs in the lower hall.

Through the efforts of the principal and a committee of the graduates the contributions to the clock fund by the graduates and former pupils of the school yielded a sum sufficient to place electric clocks throughout the building.

Telephone service, for which the building is wired, is yet to be provided.

Just before the close of the school year, we were directed by

the State Board of Health to provide better ventilation at the North Grammar building.

Ventilators were placed in the rooms as directed, which we trust will meet the requirements of the district inspector.

These rooms were thoroughly renovated during the summer vacation.

Needed repairs were made in two rooms at the Prescott building.

A new ceiling was put in the Tower Hill School; beyond some repairs on the chimney this property is otherwise in good condition.

General repairs will include shingling of the West Corner Schoolhouse; the Prescott Primary should have a new fence on all sides of the property. The building should be provided with something in the nature of a storm porch or other entrance to afford protection to these young children. Repairs must also be made on the fence enclosing the Prescott Grammar property.

At the unoccupied No. 1 School a new fence will also be needed.

For fuel and care of rooms a larger appropriation will be required.

The school census taken in September, 1909, shows the number of children between the ages of 5 and 15 to be 747, a gain of 26 over 1908, and an increase during the past five years of 118. This increase in numbers has resulted in an overcrowded condition, especially in the lower grades, which will necessitate the opening of another room should this condition continue.

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A detailed statement of receipts and expenditures in this department for the year ending December 31, 1909, is annexed to this report.

The committee ask the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the expenses of the schools for the year ending December 31, 1910:

For Teaching.....	\$8,400 00
Care of rooms.....	1,100 00
Fuel.....	1,050 00
Books and supplies.....	1,400 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils.....	400 00
Superintendent of Schools.....	600 00
School Committee.....	300 00
Stetson High School.....	2,600 00
	\$16,950 00

Less estimate revenue from dog tax,	
State School Fund and Coddington	
Fund.....	\$1,100 00
State, for Superintendent of Schools	300 00
State, for salaries of teachers.....	200 00
	1,600 00
	\$15,350 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,
R. P. BARRETT,
J. J. DESMOND,
School Committee.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS

For Teaching (38 weeks)

Paid Nelson Freeman.....	\$1,000 00
Joseph Belcher.....	1,000 00
Katherine A. Kiley.....	488 00
Ellen P. Henry.....	475 00
Hanna F. Hoye.....	450 00
Katherine E. Sheridan.....	437 00
Mary E. Wren.....	418 00
Ellen E. McLaughlin.....	418 00
Fannie A. Campbell.....	418 00
Kittie R. Molloy.....	418 00
Sara C. Belcher.....	418 00
Fanny Devine.....	418 00
Clara A. Tolman.....	418 00
Ina L. Parlin (23 weeks).....	253 00
Jessica Powers (15 weeks).....	150 00
Katherine J. Riley.....	418 00
Frances E. Sharpe (drawing).....	156 00
Rose G. Hand.....	125 00
	\$7,878 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Paid Watson C. Lea.....	\$600 00
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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Paid Ginn & Co.....	\$305 98
American Book Co.....	92 02
E. E. Babb.....	138 27
J. L. Hammet Co.....	169 85
L. E. Knott Appr. Co.....	161 42
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins.....	296 29
Benj. H. Sanborn.....	126 88
F. J. Barnard.....	115 17
D. C. Heath.....	48 38
M. A. Atherton.....	33 25
Remington Typewriter Co.....	76 70
Houghton Mifflin Co.....	18 98
Est. F. Porter.....	14 87
O. Ditson Son.....	19 38
Smith Premier Co.....	8 19
Silver Burdett Co.....	5 28
Wadsworth Howland.....	9 91
Allyn-Bacon.....	6 84
Thorp Martin Co.....	5 35
Sibley & Co.....	88
	\$1,653 89

FUEL FOR SCHOOLS

Paid M. E. Leahy, coal.....	\$348 60
D. B. White, coal.....	152 00
Randolph Coal Co., coal.....	489 57

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Paid M. E. Leahy, wood.....	\$14 50
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	24 00
Andrew Hayes, wood.....	3 50
Frank Diante, coal.....	35 00
	\$1,067 17

CONVEYING PUPILS

Paid Old Colony Street Railway....	\$420 00
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CARE OF ROOMS

Paid John P. Rooney.....	\$392 00
A. S. Frier.....	228 50
Wm. Carroll.....	22 08
Wm. Maludy.....	412 47
Mrs. Eleanor Holbrook.....	43 00
Arthur W. Alden.....	5 50
	\$1,103 55

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Paid Edw. Long.....	\$100 00
R. P. Barrett.....	100 00
J. J. Desmond.....	100 00
	\$300 00

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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES

Paid E. A. Perry.....	\$20 65
Lyons Express.....	27 01
James F. Hurley.....	43 90
Register Publishing Co.....	50 25
W. C. Lea.....	2 59
A. S. Frier.....	1 80
Geo. A. Roel.....	4 75
Henry Campbell.....	5 00
W. W. Hayward.....	2 50
Stone & Forsyth.....	7 50
M. E. Leahy.....	7 00
A. W. Alden.....	14 15
R. E. O'Brien.....	117 07
Ellen R. Farrington.....	8 70
Nelson Freeman.....	2 85
D. T. Clark.....	4 10
J. B. Hunter.....	2 80
Sturgis Baxter.....	4 00
W. J. Dobbins.....	4 50
W. B. Spear.....	24 00
C. E. Lyons.....	51 65
John Shaw.....	4 00
Chandler & Barber.....	6 46
T. T. Kelley.....	4 96
H. F. Libby.....	13 84
E. W. Campagna.....	133 62
W. F. Barrett.....	20 00

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Paid F. J. Donohue.....	\$20 00
E. Lawrence Payne.....	20 00
Hunt Pen Co.....	1 80
Carter Rice.....	1 22
American Bank Note Co.....	25 00
Jas. Fardy.....	2 85
Standard Printing Co.....	2 50
Est. C. H. Nichols.....	26 87
W. P. Sheridan.....	1 00
F. W. Hayden.....	5 62
Eugene Thayer.....	3 48
Remington Typewriter Co.....	3 05
Est. F. Porter.....	6 85
P. H. McLaughlin.....	1 36
C. Fred Lyons.....	15 81
Benj. F. Hayden.....	44 40
Jos. T. Leahy, Insurance.....	36 00
H. W. Pratt, Insurance.....	20 00
R. & H. Electric Light Co.....	29 03
American Seating Co.....	298 66
Albert Hess.....	19 55
Loring & Howard.....	58 36
W. E. Sheldon.....	81 75
Bay State Cleaning Co.....	20 00
Tremain Electric Co.....	113 15
Boston Association R. and C. of T.....	1 20
	\$1,449 51

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The balance of High School building fund, amounting to \$398.64, which was by vote of town turned over to the School Committee, to be applied to the furnishing of new High School, was expended as follows; and is included in miscellaneous account:

Paid for Chairs for Assembly Hall.....	\$145 20
Electric light fixtures and lamps.....	110 00
Laboratory tables.....	110 00
Two Teacher's desks.....	30 00
One Teacher's chair.....	4 00
	\$399 20

SUMMARY

Net appropriation.....	\$14,450 00
Rec'd from State—Tuition.....	142 50
Sale of books.....	15 00
Sale of grass.....	25 00
Sale of stoves.....	17 00
State on acct. of Supt.....	500 00
Dog license.....	503 36
Coddington Fund, Interest .	88 72
Contribution for desk.....	17 90
Mass. School Fund.....	808 35
Balance H. S. Bldg. Fund..	398 64
	\$16,966 47

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid for Teaching.....	\$7,878 00	
Books and supplies.....	1,653 89	
Miscellaneous.....	1,449 51	
Fuel.....	1,067 17	
Care of rooms.....	1,103 55	
Transportation of pupils.....	420 00	
Superintendent.....	600 00	
School Committee.....	300 00	
Sec. Trustees S. H. and S.....	2,500 00	
		\$16,972 12
Overdraft.....		5 65

Stetson School Fund

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The change in the investment of this fund since our report one year ago is as follows:

We sold ten shares of New England National Bank for \$1,000, and bought five shares of Peoples' National Bank for \$690, and two shares of Lawrence Gas Company for \$380.

For some years Stetson Hall has been in need of better seating accommodations.

On Memorial Day, at Graduation and other times during the year, we have been obliged to borrow seats.

The trustees believe that part of the income this year should be used to provide for this urgent need.

The balance on hand, as shown by the secretary's report, is held for this purpose.

The fund is invested now as follows, the valuation being at par:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% bonds	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds..	2,000 00

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2 Boston & Maine 4% bonds.....	\$2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.....	3,342 66
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank.....	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank.....	1,000 00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank.....	800 00
5 Shares Peoples' National Bank.....	500 00
4 Shares State National Bank.....	400 00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas Company.....	200 00
Piano in Stetson Hall.....	100 00

The Turner Medal Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis Minn., bond, \$1,000.00.

The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,
R. P. BARRETT,
J. J. DESMOND,

Trustees Stetson School Fund.

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Dr. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH

1909

To balance of old account		\$39 95
Town appropriation for the year.....		2,500 00
Bank dividends, Atlantic	\$60 00	
Webster & Atlas .	56 00	
Old Boston	50 00	
Boylston	40 00	
State	28 00	
New England....	15 00	
People's	15 00	
		\$264 00
Interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds	280 00	
Interest on Am. Telephone & Telegraph bonds	80 00	
Interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds	80 00	
Lawrence Gas Co. dividend	8 00	
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	268 40	
Rent of hall for the year	162 00	
		\$3,682 35

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THE STETSON HIGH SCHOOL FUND

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1909

By paying	F. E. Chapin, salary to December 31.	\$1,399	92
	Nellie M. Stearns, salary to Dec. 31 .	549	97
	M. Mabel Cassidy, salary to Dec. 31..	549	97
	Gladys S. Jennison, salary to June 30	145	24
	Margaret M. Noland, salary Sept. 1 to Dec. 31	99	45
	Mary H. Warren, salary Sept. 1 to Dec. 31	197	37
	Arthur W. Alden, janitor	40	00
	Arthur W. Alden, labor and material	4	50
	Rose G. Hand, musical instructor....	75	00
	Register Publishing Co., Printing	77	85
	Est. Charles Doughty, lighting and supplies	87	55
	R. E. O'Brien, labor and material....	10	85
	E. W. Campagna, labor and material	15	83
	Edson N. Roel, labor and material....	33	10
	C. Fred Lyons, supplies	21	27
	Randolph Coal Co., coal	14	50
	Frank F. Smith, charcoal	3	84
	Edwin M. Mann, wood	8	00
	E. A. Perry, labor	14	50
	Old Colony Piano Co.	5	50
	F. E. Chapin, supplies.....	11	36
	F. E. Chapin, cash paid	2	00
	M. E. Leahy, cleaning vault	5	00
	Fred M. French, insurance.....	8	40
	Fred M. French, cash paid.....	3	00
	Trustees and secretary, service.....	20	00
	Balance	278	38
		\$3,682	35

Randolph, January 31, 1910.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson School Fund, and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

REPORT

OF THE

Superintendent of Schools

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

Randolph, December 31, 1909.

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I submit herewith my third annual report, the ninth in the series of superintendents' reports.

SUMMARY FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1909.

Population of Randolph, census of 1905..... 4,034

Children between the ages of 5 and 15, school census
September, 1909:

Boys.....	366
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Girls.....	381
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Total.....	747
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Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of compulsory attendance), school census September, 1908:

Boys.....	278
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Girls.....	294
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Total.....	572
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Number enrolled in all schools:

Boys.....	387
Girls.....	375
Total.....	762
Average membership.....	706
Average attendance.....	671
Per cent. of attendance based on average membership	95
Number of pupils under 5 years of age.....	9
Number of pupils between 5 and 15.....	709
Number of pupils between 7 and 14.....	512
Number of pupils over 15.....	51
Number not absent, tardy or dismissed.....	35
Number not absent or tardy (exclusive of preceding item)	8
Number of grade promotions.....	626
Number of school buildings.....	6
Number of schools keeping separate registers.....	16
Number of regular teachers.....	18
Number of special teachers:	
(a) Drawing—1. (b) Music—1. (c) Stenography and Typewriting—1. Total.....	3
Number of teachers who have graduated from college	3
Number of teachers who have graduated from Normal School.....	7
Number who have attended Normal School without graduating.....	1
Number of different pupils attending High School dur- ing the year 1908-1909.....	123

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Number graduated from High School in June, 1909:	
Boys, 7. Girls, 6. Total.....	13
Number admitted to High School in September, 1908:	
Boys, 22. Girls, 27. Total.....	49
Number graduated from the eighth grade in June, 1909	57

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FOR EIGHT YEARS

Year ending June 30, 1902.....	715
Year ending June 30, 1903.....	695
Year ending June 30, 1904.....	712
Year ending June 30, 1905.....	699
Year ending June 30, 1906.....	726
Year ending June 30, 1907.....	729
Year ending June 30, 1908.....	716
Year ending June 30, 1909.....	762

The enrollment in the High School for 1908-1909 amounted to 16.1 per cent. of the total school enrollment.

The total High School enrollment for the state, according to the latest report, was 10.7 per cent. of the total public school enrollment.

ATTENDANCE

The per cent. of attendance is 95, the same as last year. The average daily attendance for the past three years has been 623, 640 and 670 respectively. The increase is due in some measure to the opening of the new High School, but not all

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of it can be thus accounted for. The grade attendance is growing as well.

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, 1909

The tests by teachers required by law have been made as usual, and the records show that the warnings sent to parents have been very generally heeded.

A summary for the past three years follows:

Years	Number of pupils enrolled	Number with defective eyesight	Number with defective hearing	Number of parents and guardians notified
1909	732	137	32	113
1908	748	125	38	94
1907	697	122	25	74

The above figures show, as do those for both Holbrook and Avon, an increase in defects last year over the preceding years.

SEWING AND WHITTILING

The town is this year again indebted to the generosity and public spirit of the Ladies' Library Association of Randolph, for the teaching of sewing in the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. Great credit is due to these ladies who have spent their time and money to introduce the subject in our schools. It is too much to expect, however, that this work is to continue indefinitely on a volunteer basis. Provision should be

made by the town for continuance of the work by a regular teacher of sewing.

Last year much interest was shown at the North School in knife work. This year some suitable knives have been purchased with a view to carrying on the work in whittling on Fridays, while the girls are sewing.

INSTRUCTION IN HYGIENE

The new state requirement for "instruction as to tuberculosis and its prevention" was well carried out last year. The final tests showed that the pupils had taken great interest in the subject.

It is proposed this year to teach the subject of personal and household hygiene, also public hygiene in a more effective way. Part of the books necessary for this purpose have already been secured.

SCHOOL NEEDS

It is not to be expected that all of the following can be supplied at once. They can and should be secured gradually.

(a) Age of admission to grade I raised to six years, or next year to five and a half, and the following year to six.

(b) A simple treatment of civics in the grammar grades. Not all children go to the high school and still fewer reach the subject of advanced American history and civics in the last

year of the course. The majority should not thus be made to lose all chance of acquiring an elementary knowledge of the actual working of American government and its present great problems.

(c) Small and inexpensive collections of books, carefully selected for their bearing on the ordinary school subjects should be placed on a shelf in each school room. The public library, while much drawn upon for fiction and other books suitable for children, cannot do this special work.

(d) The fitting up of an additional room at Prescott Primary building to relieve the overcrowded first and second grades.

(e) The appointment of a school physician.

(f) New and modern sanitariums at the Prescott Primary School to replace the present filthy and indecent accommodations. The one hundred and more little children now enrolled at this building are as much entitled to fair treatment in this respect as the older children.

With grateful acknowledgment of kind treatment from citizens, and of co-operation by the committee and teachers, this report is

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON C. LEA.

APPENDIX TO REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

TABULAR STATEMENT, 1908-1909

Schools	Grades	Teachers	Total enrollment	Boys	Girls	Average membership	Average attendance	Per cent of Attendance	Pupils not absent, tardy, or dismissed	Grade promotions
Stetson High	XII	F. E. Chapin, Principal	13	7	6	111.7	107.39	96.1	9	13
	XI	Nellie M. Stearns	16	4	12					14
	X	M. M. Cassidy	35	15	20					22
Prescott	IX	G. S. Jennison	59	27	32	36.16	35.14	97.16	5	42
	VIII	Nelson Freeman	39	19	20					30
	VII	Katherine A. Kiley	39	15	24					37
	VI	Hannah F. Hoye	49	26	23					43
	V	Katherine E. Sheridan	46	29	17					42
North	IV	Mary E. Wren	42	21	21	40.60	38.28	93.97	4	37
	III	Ellen E. McLaughlin	45	24	21					34
	II	Fannie A. Campbell	49	30	19					40
	I	Kittie R. Molloy	56	28	28					43
	VIII	Joseph Belcher	30	17	13					27
Tower Hill	VII	Ellen P. Henry	24	11	13	33.18	30.77	92.78	10	18
	VI	Sarah C. Belcher	31	13	18					30
	V	Fannie M. Devine	44	26	18					34
	IV	Fannie M. Devine	27	14	13					24
	III	Clara A. Tolman	21	10	11					16
West Corner	II	Clara A. Tolman	18	7	11	44.13	41.48	94.02	1	17
	I	Clara A. Tolman	24	11	13					20
	IV	Katherine J. Riley	3	1	2					3
	III	Katherine J. Riley	6	3	3					5
	II	Katherine J. Riley	5	3	2					4
Totals	I	Katherine J. Riley	9	7	2	17.25	16.24	94.14	35	5
	II	Ina L. Parlin	8	4	4					7
	III	Ina L. Parlin	0	4	5					9
	IV	Ina L. Parlin	15	11	4					10
	I	Ina L. Parlin	15	11	4					10
		Totals	762	387	375	705.94	670.59	95	35	626

Roll of Honor, 1908-1909

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NOT ABSENT, TARDY OR DISMISSED

(Figures at right of each name show the number of terms perfect.)

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Richard Adams Barrett, 2	Blanche Celina Marcelle, 2
Mary Lorretta Barry, 2	Alice Margaret McAuliffe, 1
Alberta Eliza Bustard, 2	Joseph McMahon, 3
Hazel Beatrice Champion, 1	Marion Clare Meaney, 1
William Francis Cunningham, 2	Anna Vivian Morgan, 1
Terence Dargan, 1	Edward Joseph Morgan, 1
Leo Edward Dench, 3	Joseph Michael Murphy, 3
Charles Gabriel Devine, 1	Elizabeth O'Neil, 1
Madeleine Catherine Dillon, 1	Michael Joseph O'Neil, 2
Alice Elizabeth Dowd, 2	Richard Churchill Pinkerton, 1
Rosamond Elleanor Hagney, 2	Roy Arthur Robbins, 1
Alice Marie Hayden, 2	John Henry Rudderham, 1
Ella Josephine Heney, 1	Ruth Marie Rudderham, 1
Lucien Marion Hogan, 3	Mabel Louise Scott, 2

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Rhea Beatrice Hogan, 1	William Sewall, 2
Svea Marie Johnson, 1	Elizabeth Margaret Sheehan, 3
Norman Ellsworth Jones, 3	Charles Andrew Spence, 3
Emma Cornelia Kelley, 2	Marie Elizabeth Sullivan, 1
Thomas Aloysius Kennedy, 1	Herbert Augustus Towns, 3
Charles Ray Kiley, 1	Anna Louise Walsh, 1
Mary Leahy, 3	Florence Rathburn Webster, 2
Abbie Mercedes Aloysia Lyons, 1	Almira May White, 1
Ellis Hall Mann, 2	Ella Marie White, 1
Wilma Jennie Mann, 1	Granville Hasler Wright, 2

PRESCOTT VIII

Muriel T. Bailey, 1	Mary Hagney, 2
Grace Brennan, 1	Leo Kelliher, 1
Willie Brennan, 1	Marshall W. Leavitt, 3
Evelyn C. Carney, 1	Mary J. Long, 2
Ralph W. Cartwright, 3	Annie Lyons, 3
Katherine M. Curran, 2	Rachel C. McMahon, 2
Mary E. Desmond, 1	Henry Mullins, 1
George T. Dolan, 3	Agnes O'Neil, 3
Harry A. Dolan, 1	Mary A. O'Neil, 1
Kathleen Donovan, 1	Elva L. Plunkett, 1
Edward F. Foley, 2	Albert G. Powderley, 2
Grace Foley, 2	Joseph Rudderham, 1
	Martin E. Young, 2

PRESCOTT VII

John Walsh, 3	Mae Morgan, 2
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Esther Vaughn, 2
Gertrude Sullivan, 1
Helen Roddan, 1

Thomas Dowd, 2
Samuel Abrams, 2
William Leahy, 2
Peter Collins, 1

PRESCOTT VI

Dwight Boyd, 2
Arthur Curtis, 2
Mary Danto, 1
Henry Dillon, 3
Paul Faxon, 2
Mabel Good, 1
David Good, 1
Fabian Hogan, 3
Barbara Hoye, 2
Adele Jones, 1
Alice Marcille, 2
Walter McCabe, 2
Harold McDonald, 1

Joseph McNeill, 1
Timothy O'Neill, 1
Ethel Pettee, 2
Hubert Powderly, 1
Edith Simmons, 3
James Dowd, 1
Mary Rae, 1
Ruth Abrams, 1
John N. Kiley, 1
Mary Loughlin, 1
William Lonergan, 1
Malcolm McNeill, 1
Edward Sullivan, 1

PRESCOTT V

Sigfrid Bohn, 2
Arthur Brennan, 1
Earl Crond, 2
Leona Hogan, 3
Edward Johnson, 2
Walter Kelliher, 2
Bertram Kenyon, 1

John O'Brien, 3
Mary Sheridan, 3
Frank Bump, 2
James Donovan, 1
Marion Leavitt, 1
Walter O'Leary, 1
Leonard Plunkett, 1

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Thomas Lyons, 2	John Purcell, 2
Russell Towns, 2	Marjorie Sullivan, 3
Henry Morgan, 1	Letitia Scannell, 2
	Viola Wood, 2

PRESCOTT IV

Albert Bolin, 1	Mary Clark, 1
Harold Kane, 1	Elsie Rae, 1
Harold Keith, 1	Anna Leahy, 1
Joseph Condon, 1	Margaret Foley, 1
Walter Good, 1	Annie Mulligan, 1
Emery Delano, 1	Marion Williams, 1
George McCabe, 1	Hattie Neary, 2
Frank Mahoney, 1	Anna Brown, 2
Fred Mahoney, 1	Alice Desmond, 2
William Rooney, 1	Anna Brady, 2
Ralph Walsh, 1	Isabel Dolan, 2
Kenneth Hutchinson, 1	Mary O'Leary, 2
	David Abrams, 2

PRESCOTT III

Morgan Baxter, 1	Lillian Purcell, 2
William Condon, 2	Allan Bump, 1
Vincent Dolan, 1	Chas. Marcille, 1
John Dowd, 1	Francis McNeill, 1
Richard Walsh, 1	Daniel McCue, 1
Agnes Britton, 1	Elizabeth Good, 1
Genevieve Dolan, 2	Mary Heney, 1

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Grace Donovan, 2
May Griffin, 1
Katherine Madigan, 2

Blanche Leroy, 1
Aurora Nelson, 1
Marie Guidice, 1

PRESCOTT II

Helen Conlon, 1
Dorothy Carney, 2
Alice Guild, 2
Elizabeth Hand, 1
Mary Purcell, 3
Edward Brennan, 2
Louis Crovo, 2
Reginald Hogan, 2
Arthur Kane, 2
Raymond Kiley, 1
Russel Leavitt, 2
Timothy Lyons, 2
Frank Moore, 2

John Moore, 1
Frank Morgan, 2
Raymond Purcell, 1
Ruth Stone, 1
Lawrence Crovo, 1
Louis DaCota, 1
William Flavell, 1
Harold Harrison, 1
Edward Lonergan, 1
Raymond McGorrigle, 1
John Sullivan, 1
Eustace Scannel, 1
Charles Williams, 1

NORTH VII-VIII

Wilson S. Chase, 1
John F. Carroll, 2
William H. Carroll, 1
Harold H. Eddy, 1
Sumner L. Eddy, 1
Frank C. Fischer, 1
J. Clifford Henderson, 1

Arthur C. Roel, 2
Helen L. Allison, 1
M. Alice O'Connell, 1
Lillian W. Converse, 2
Dorothy Dee, 1
Viola B. Holbrook, 1
Gertrude E. Kelley, 3

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Earl V. Hinckley, 3
Earl E. MacCannell, 1
C. Herman McGrath, 3
Raymond L. Mason, 1
Roger Niles, 1
Henry W. Pinkerton, 3
Henry N. Schultz, 1
Norman Smith, 2
Fenwick W. Wright, 1

Olive B. Mann, 3
Alta N. Payne, 3
Gertrude Gaffey, 1
Ervenia L. Rhodes, 3
Elinor E. Smith, 2
Marion Truelson, 1
Ruth Walsh, 3
Rena J. Wrisley, 3
Jennie L. Preble, 3

NORTH VI

Ethel W. Parker, 2
Vivian Shurtleff, 2
Rose L. Meaney, 2
Franklin Porter, 2
Rudolph Sitcavitch, 2
James A. Condon, 1
Gladys Harris, 1

Marie Larsen, 1
Chester W. Payne, 1
Walter Washburn, 1
Lawrence Davis, 1
Laura Holbrook, 1
Ruth L. Mann, 1
Hazel Hewins, 1

NORTH V

Dale N. Allen, 2
John F. Bustard, 2
George Beane, 2
John Curry, 2
Gladys De Forrest, 2
Hazel M. Jones, 1
Thomas Kenney, 2

Marion S. Mann, 1
Arthur R. Macombe, 1
Mary Patten, 1
Jennie A. Schultz, 1
Martha J. Smith, 1
Rosella R. Stetson, 1
Walter A. Sherwood, 1

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Harold K. Eddy, 2

John P. Lyons, 1

Charles Truelson, 1

Elberta B. White, 1

NORTH III-IV

Inez Abbott, 2

Florence Pinkerton, 2

Helen Foster, 1

Ida Greenberg, 1

Ruth Brennan, 1

Mabel Mann, 1

Chester Claff, 3

Carl Bustard, 2

Rodney Dee, 2

Seth Mann, 2

Lovell Pulson, 2

Russell Niles, 1

Carlton McGrath, 1

Alfred Paquette, 1

Fred Dee, 1

Herman Greenberg, 1

Errold Grasse, 1

Charles Burrell, 1

NORTH I-II

Mildred Bailey, 1

Ray Converse, 2

Walter Stevens, 1

Muriel Shurtleff, 1

Carlton Wisley, 1

Dwight Scott, 3

Ruth Harris, 1

Helen Matherson, 1

Blanche Packard, 1

Reginald Pulson, 1

John Sullivan, 1

TOWER HILL I-IV

Thomas G. Bates, 1

Anna Carroll, 1

Eugene Dickey, 2

Gertrude Erisman, 2

Francis Lyons, 1

Karl L. Macauley, 1

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NOT ABSENT OR TARDY

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STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Richard A. Barrett, 3	Blanche C. Marcelle, 3
Alice E. Dowd, 3	Michael J. O'Neil, 3
William Sewall, 3	Florence R. Webster, 3
Almira M. White, 3	Charles G. Devine, 2
Madeleine C. Dillon, 2	Svea M. Johnson, 2
Anna V. Morgan, 2	Roy A. Robbins, 2
Anna L. Walsh, 2	Corinne F. Tileston, 1
Zula A. Hogsett, 1	Anna M. Decota, 1
James McDonald, 1	Mary L. Mahan, 1
Alden W. Howard, 1	Emilie P. Reynolds, 1
Gladys M. Porter, 1	Ellen C. Stanton, 1
	Evelyn M. Mahan, 1

PRESCOTT VIII

James G. Condon, 2	Kathleen Donovan, 1
Harry A. Dolan, 1	Leo Kelliher, 1

PRESCOTT VII

Frances Brady, 1	Helen Decota, 1
Lillian McAuliffe, 1	Helen Roddan, 1
Grace Scannell, 2	Alberta Wales, 1

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Helen Brady, 1

Alice Keith, 1

Elizabeth Luddington, 1

Aloysius Murphy, 1

PRESCOTT V

Henry Morgan, 2

Russell Towns, 3

James Donovan, 2

PRESCOTT III

Morgan Baxter, 1

Lillian Purcell, 2

William Condon, 2

Allan Bump, 1

Vincent Dolan, 1

Chas. Marcille, 1

John Dowd, 1

Francis McNeill, 1

Richard Walsh, 1

Daniel McCue, 1

Agnes Britton, 1

Elizabeth Good, 1

Genevieve Dolan, 2

Mary Heney, 1

Grace Donovan, 2

Blanche Leroy, 1

May Griffin, 1

Aurora Nelson, 1

Katherine Madigan, 2

Marie Guidice, 1

PRESCOTT I

James Bradley, 1

Alice O'Brien, 1

James Conlan, 1

Marion Toomey, 1

James Clark, 1

Elizabeth Kiley, 1

Richard Condon, 1

Ruth Vaughn, 1

Dan'l Donovan, 1

Mary Conroy, 1

Edw. Flannery, 1

Wendell Hutchinson, 1

John O'Brien, 1

Amy Campbell, 1

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Kenneth Robbins, 1	Katherine Crowd, 2
Edw. Shepard, 1	Mary Leroy, 2
Frances Good, 1	Crofton Keith, 2
Ruth Luddington, 1	Minnie Cantwell, 2
	Russell Kiley, 2

NORTH III-IV

Inez Abbott, 1	Seth Mann, 2
Florence Pinkerton, 2	Lovell Pulson, 2
Helen Foster, 1	Russell Niles, 1
Ida Greenberg, 1	Carleton McGrath, 1
Ruth Brennan, 1	Alfred Paquette, 1
Mabel Mann, 1	Fred Dee, 1
Horace Mann, 1	Heiman Greenberg, 1
Carl Bustard, 2	Errold Grasse, 1
Rodney Dee, 2	Charles Burrell, 1

TOWER HILL I-II-III-IV

Marion A. Webster, 1

Total names on Roll of Honor, 403.

Report of the Principal of the High School

MR. WATSON C. LEA,

Superintendent of Schools:

During the past year numerous gifts have been made to Stetson High School; for the purpose of making acknowledgment of these donations, and thus expressing, in some measure, the gratitude which they deserve, the list is here given in detail.

The class of 1909 presented a Krakauer piano selected especially for them by the Old Colony Piano Company of Brockton. The instrument was purchased at a cost of \$400, and is the most valuable gift made by any class to the school. The piano bears the inscription "Class of 1909."

A flagpole 45 feet in height has been placed in front of the main entrance of the High School building. With the gift of the flagpole was included a beautiful flag 20 feet by 12 feet. The donors of the pole and flag were Miss Abby W. Turner, Mrs. Alice M. Beach, and Mrs. Harrison H. Rountree.

The Ladies' Library Association gave a large photograph 6½ feet by 2½ feet, "Washington laying his Commission at the feet of Columbia." This picture hangs in the lower main

corridor; it is inscribed "Presented by the Ladies' Library Association, April, 1909." The original of this photograph is a mural painting by E. H. Blashfield, in the Court House at Baltimore, Maryland.

The class of 1912 gave a reading desk which is in constant use in the Assembly room. The desk is inscribed "1912"; the cost of this desk was \$20.

Captain Horace Niles Post No. 110, G. A. R., gave a flag and staff which have a conspicuous position on the stage of the Assembly Room.

The Ladies' Relief Corps presented to the school a beautiful silk flag and staff which have been placed at the left of the Assembly Room stage.

The penny collection fund amounted at the end of the Fall term to \$21.50; this money was used by the subscribers to the fund to purchase a table and a chair for the teachers' room.

A large and attractive roll-top desk was purchased by the class of 1910 and placed in the office of the principal. The desk was furnished by the Derby Desk Co., whose catalogue price for the desk was \$158.

The class of 1913 purchased a chair for the teachers' room, at a cost of \$10.

Mr. H. Bingley Alden, of Dorchester, presented a copy of the "Magna Charta" and another of the "Declaration of Independence." These are beautifully framed, and form an attractive feature of the furnishing of the Assembly Room.

The Alumni of the school have given a master-clock made by the Blodgett Clock Co., of Boston. The clock is inscribed "Given by Graduates of Stetson High School." This clock

has a special case, much more costly and attractive than the cases usually furnished for such clocks, with a single beveled plate glass front.

For secretarial work done in connection with the collection of funds for the master-clock the Alumni have placed the inscription "Class of 1910" on one of the secondary clocks, and on another of the secondary clocks they have placed the inscription "Class of 1911."

The class of 1912 have given a secondary clock inscribed "Class of 1912."

From the class of 1913 was received a secondary clock inscribed "Class of 1913."

"Alumni of S. H. S." is the inscription on another of the secondary clocks.

In the Assembly Room has been placed a secondary clock inscribed "Seth Turner Medal Fund." This clock has a fifteen-inch dial, and was obtained in connection with the fund raised by the Alumni for the purchase of clocks for the school. The cost of this clock was \$22.

The total number of clocks given to the school, as a result of the efforts of the graduates to equip the school with clocks, is seven—one master-clock and six secondary clocks. Four more secondary clocks will complete the clock equipment of the school, and these undoubtedly will be obtained in the near future.

In connection with the contributions to the Alumni Clock Fund the generous donation of Mrs. Annie Tower Tarbell and Mrs. Abby T. Tower, of Boston, deserves especial mention.

F. E. CHAPIN.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED NINE

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Stetson Hall, Randolph, Wednesday Evening, June 24, 1909

PROGRAM

OPENING MARCH

INVOCATION.....Rev. Christopher R. Hamlin

CHORUS—"To Thee, O Country,"....Arr. by *Julius Eichberg*

SALUTATORY.....Norman E. Jones

THE VALUE OF SHORTHAND.....S. Agnes Heney

PROGRESS OF AERIAL NAVIGATION.....John H. Rudderham

MERITS OF THE CHANDLER SYSTEM OF SHORTHAND

Marion C. Meaney

CHORUS—"Fairylend Waltz".....Arr. by G. A. Veazie, Jr.

TRADE SCHOOLS OF MASSACHUSETTS....Francis B. McAuliffe

RECITATION—"The Swan-Song".....*Katherine R. Brooks*

Gladys C. Vaughn

THE SUGAR TRUST SCANDAL.....Joseph H. McMahon

CHORUS—"Forget-Me-Not".....Arr. by *Victor Baier*

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.....Alden W. Howard

SHORTHAND EXERCISE:

Gladys Vaughn, Dictator; Francis B. McAuliffe, Stenographer; Marion C. Meaney, Reader

WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN.....William F. McAuliffe

CHORUS—"Oh, Hail Us, Ye Free!".....Arr. by *Guisepppe Verdi*

RECITATION—"The Historic Codfish".....*Irwin*
Edward J. Morgan

CORNET SOLO—"Siegmond's Leibesleid".....*R. Wagner*
Christine H. Denham

PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT.....Marion L. Bailey

CLASS PROPHECY.....Ellen R. Henderson

VALEDICTORY.....Geraldine B. Kennedy

CHORUS—"Come, Gentle Sleep".....Arr. from *Mendelssohn*
By *Geo. L. Tracy*

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND TURNER MEDALS

Superintendent Watson C. Lea

"AMERICA".....School and Audience

CLASS OF 1909 STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Motto—" *Magna est veritas, et prevalebit*"

Colors—Green and White

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LATIN COURSE

Norman Ellsworth Jones Geraldine Beatrice Kennedy
Joseph H. McMahon

ENGLISH COURSE

Marion Lucy Bailey	William Francis McAuliffe
Ellen Revie Henderson	Marion Claire Meaney
Sarah Agnes Heney	Edward Joseph Morgan
Alden Waite Howard	John Henry Rudderham
Francis Basil McAuliffe	Gladys Cecilia Vaughn

CLASS OFFICERS

President, John Henry Rudderham

Vice-President, Norman Ellsworth Jones

Treasurer, Geraldine Beatrice Kennedy

Secretary, Marion Claire Meaney

Executive Committee—Marion Lucy Bailey, Ellen Revie Henderson, Sarah Agnes Heney, Alden Waite Howard, Francis Basil McAuliffe, William Francis McAuliffe, Joseph H. McMahon, Edward Joseph Morgan, Gladys Cecilia Vaughn

TRUSTEES OF STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Redmond P. Barrett, Jeremiah J. Desmond, Edward Long,
Secretary of Board, Fred M. French

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Watson Clark Lea

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

REPORTS OF TRUANT OFFICERS

RANDOLPH. January 25, 1910.

TO MR. WATSON C. LEA,

Superintendent of Schools:

DEAR SIR:—I would respectfully submit the following report as Truant Officer of the town of Randolph. During the past year I have been called upon to investigate nine cases of absentees, all of whom were kept at home by their parents or guardians. In one of the cases the guardian of one of the boys wanted to know what I would do about it if he kept the boy at home. I told him that if he persisted in keeping the boy from school I would have him in court. I have had no more complaint about that boy. In conversation with some of the teachers they told me the attendance the past year was very good.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK J. DONAHOE,

Truant Officer.

RANDOLPH, January 28, 1910.

PROFESSOR WATSON C. LEA.

DEAR SIR:—I would respectfully submit the following as my report for the year 1909:

During the year I have been called upon to investigate five cases, most of which were truancy; this is a small comparison as to former years. I attribute this small per cent of complaint

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to the fact that I have been very particular in making all children give a good account of themselves when seen upon the street during school hours, and I also think the parents have educated themselves to the fact that the children must go to school or give the best of reasons for their absence.

One of the worst things to contend with is the boy between the age of 14 and 16, who will not go to school, and just out of reach of the truant officer. I have been called two or three times in cases of this kind and been obliged to threaten with prosecution if they did not keep away from school buildings.

Most respectfully,

E. LAWRENCE PAYNE,

Truant Officer.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

GRADUATES OF GRAMMAR SCHOOLS, JUNE, 1909

PRESCOTT SCHOOL

Kathleen Donovan	Mary Hagney
Rachel C. McMahon	George T. Dolan
Marshall W. Leavitt	Grace Foley
Agnes O'Neil	Muriel T. Bailey
Martin E. Young	Harry A. Dolan
Eva M. Luddington	Grace Brennan
Mary A. O'Neil	Catherine M. Curran
Albert G. Powderlee	Henry Mullins
Elva L. Plunkett	James G. Condon
Evelyn C. Carney	Annie Lyons
James H. Mellon	Ralph W. Cartwright
Doris H. Burrell	Esther M. Sullivan
Edward F. Foley	Mary J. Long
Mary E. Desmond	Willie Brennan
Joseph Rudderham	Doris Perkins

NORTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Ruth Walsh	Sumner L. Eddy
Henry W. Pinkerton	Elinor E. Smith
Gertrude E. Kelley	John F. Carroll
Florence M. White	Edith Mahan
Henry N. Schultz	Wilson S. Chase
Viola B. Holbrook	Arthur H. Lyons
J. Clifford Henderson	Norman Smith
Earl E. MacCarnell	Florence L. Bates

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Lillian W. Converse

Gladys H. Thomas

M. Alice O'Connell

Earl V. Hinckley

Hazel M. Bates

Olive B. Mann

J. Elon Mason

Earl C. Harris

Rena M. Libby

Frank A. Fischer

Harold H. Eddy

Total, 57

Report of Fire Department

Randolph, Mass., December 31, 1909.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen.—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Engineers:

The department was organized May 1st, 1909, as follows:

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

C. A. Wales, Chief; J. E. Blanche, M. F. Sullivan, G. A. Roel, W. A. Croak, Assistants; W. A. Croak, Clerk.

APPARATUS AND COMPANIES

Hose Wagon 1—Frank Harris, Driver.

Hose Reel 2—J. Joseph Riley, Driver.

Ladder Truck 1—George Canaway, Driver.

Chemical Engine 1—J. E. Blanche, Driver.

Hose Co. 1—12 men, John P. Rooney, Foreman.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, George L. Stetson, Foreman.

Ladder Co. 1—12 men, Charles S. Dolan, Foreman.

Chemical Co. 1—12 men, Edward F. Meany, Foreman.

FIRES

Jan. 7, 1909—Alarm at 7 P. M., from Box 46, which was false, and was pulled by boys. They were given a lecture which they will remember for awhile. In responding to the alarm one of the horses attached to Hose Wagon 1 slipped on the car track and broke a leg, and had to be killed; all out signal 7.15 P. M.

Feb. 6—Alarm at 6.57 P. M., from Box 24, for fire on the roof of dwelling on South Main Street, owned and occupied by Miss Annie Wales; spark from burning soot in chimney falling on roof was the cause; all out 8.05 P. M.

March 31—On a still alarm, the Chemical Engine was called to slight fire on roof of coal shed near railroad station on Warren Street.

April 5—Alarm at 1.09 P. M., from Box 54, for grass fire near dwelling on corner of Warren and Fowler Streets; all out 1.20 P. M.

April 13—Alarm at 11.18 A. M., from Box 61, for fire in dwelling owned and occupied by Frank Manley, on the extension of Gold Street; two horses, three cows in the barn were burned; the house and barn wholly destroyed with all their contents; incendiary; all out 1.15 P. M.

April 24—Still alarm for chimney fire in dwelling owned by S. M. Clark, Pleasant Street.

July 5—Alarm at 11.55 A. M., from Box 45, for fire on roof of barn on Main Street, owned and occupied by Seymore; cause, fire crackers; slight damage; all out signal 12.05 P. M.

July 27—Alarm at 10.45 P. M., from Box 26, for fire in the

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car barn of the Brockton Street Railroad, very near the Randolph line in Avon; Hose 1 and Ladder 1 responded; wholly destroyed; all out 1.15 A. M. the 28th.

August 13—Alarm at 1.22 P. M., from Box 41, for burning soot in chimney of dwelling on Canton Street, owned and occupied by H. B. Stevens; all out signal 1.45 P. M.

Aug. 14—Alarm at 3.06 P. M., for Box 46, for fire in woodland on West side of North Main and north of Old streets; several cords of cut wood were burned, this fire gave the Warden and his men much trouble; it burned down among the roots and stumps; the ground being dry it took two days to quench it.

Aug. 15—Alarm at 1.25 P. M., from Box 56, for fire in woodland between West and Grove streets; all out signal 3.28 P. M.

Oct. 18—Alarm at 3.03 A. M., from Boxes 45 and 46, for fire in ice houses on Pond Street, owned and occupied by H. L. Paul, wholly destroyed, incendiary; out 4.55 A. M.

Nov. 6—On a still alarm firemen were called to the coal shed on Warren Street, near railroad, for fire on the roof, spark from locomotive.

Nov. 9—Alarm at 12.48 A. M., from Box 52, for fire in building on Warren Street, near railroad station, owned and occupied by W. P. Sullivan as a grocery store, cause unknown, all out 1.20 A. M.

Nov. 15—On a still alarm firemen were called to woodland fires between Union and Mill streets.

Nov. 24—Alarm at 6.57 P. M., from Box 41, for burning soot

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in chimney of dwelling on Canton Street, owned and occupied by Antonio Sass; all out signal 7.40 P. M.

Dec. 23—Alarm at 2.30 A. M., from Box 54, for fire in small building on Warren Avenue, owned by heirs of James Deane and occupied by James Deane, Jr., as a cobbling shop and lodging room; when the fire was out the body of a man was discovered on an iron bed; it was identified as the body of Michael Gray, who had been a guest of Deane during the evening before; the fire was caused by lamp or stove, and was accidental; all out signal 3.37 A. M.

EXPENSES

Paid 48 men salary at \$12 each.....	\$576 00
48 men 470½ hours at 50c per hour	235 25
48 men 84 hours at 25c per hour.....	21 00
Board of Engineers, fire service	51 25
Engineer of steamer.....	20 00
Fireman of steamer.....	15 00
Forest fire warden on account of forest fires.	249 55
Teams on account of forest fires to May 1, 1909	22 25
Estate of C. H. Nichols, hauling apparatus to May 1, 1909.....	400 00
Expressing, etc., to May 1, 1909	45 38
Estate of C. H. Nichols, hauling apparatus to Oct. 25, 1909.....	192 37
Estate of C. H. Nichols, teams to forest fires to Oct. 25, 1909.....	22 00
Expressing, etc., to Oct. 25, 1909.....	3 23

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Paid J. E. Blanche, hauling Chemical Engine....	\$113 50
J. E. Blanche, care of Chemical Engine....	67 00
James Riley, hauling hose reel 2.....	36 00
F. J. Donahoe, steward.....	82 25
W. M. Howard, steward.....	14 50
Wm. O'Halloran, steward.....	15 25
R. J. McAuliffe, steward.....	8 72
Geo. A. Roel, superintendent of fire alarm 15 months.....	125 00
Estate of C. Doughty, steam for whistle for 2 years to Jan. 1, 1910.....	100 00
Estate of C. Doughty, light service and meter rental.....	36 32
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., new box (No. 25)	64 50
Geo. A. Roel, labor on new box.....	29 20
Team on account of new box.....	8 50
Stewart & Howland, supplies, on account of new box.....	14 38
Eugene Thayer, supplies.....	1 08
R. E. O'Brien, copper roof for whistle house	23 50
Lee H. Porter, supplies.....	1 00
John Gill, labor on hose and shoveling snow	7 75
M. E. Leahy, coal.....	60 50
H. K. Barnes, supplies.....	10 00
Hartford Insurance and Inspection.....	15 00
Stewart & Howland, supplies for alarm ...	80 65
J. S. Sargent, polish.....	1 50
D. B. White, coal.....	45 00
E. N. Roel, labor.....	1 00

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Paid E. F. Murphy, watch duty.....	\$2 50
C. Calahan Co., supplies.....	10 97
Arthur W. Alden, janitor.....	5 50
Geo. A. Roel, supplies.....	1 55
C. E. Lyons, repairs of chimney, House 1..	7 05
H. F. Libby, shingling and other repairs, House 1.....	88 85
Diamond Rubber Co., 350 feet hose.....	218 75
C. E. Lyons, repairs of chimney, House 2..	10 25
W. A. Croak, repairs on account chimney, House 2.....	4 95
W. A. Croak, 2 reservoir covers	2 22
F. W. Hayden, supplies.....	1 01
James Riley, rent of land.....	15 00
W. A. Croak, repairs of blinds and painting West Street house.....	30 55
Timothy Lyons, expressing.....	2 25
A. E. Perry, 3 reservoir covers.....	6 75
Ellen Grady, heirs, rent of land.....	15 00
Globe Polish Co., supplies.....	1 25
Register Publishing Co., printing.....	7 00
John B. McNeil, iron work.....	4 00
Badger Fire Extinguisher Co., supplies....	29 00
James Fardy, iron work.....	8 50
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	6 29
Wm. O'Halloran, shoveling snow.....	6 50
E. M. Mann, Wood.....	3 75
Expenses.....	\$3,304 82

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Appropriation.....	\$2,636 00	
New alarm box.....	100 00	
	\$2,736 00	\$2,736 00
Overdrawn.....		\$568 82

The amount overdrawn is accounted for as follows: On account of the final settlement of the Nichols estate a bill was presented for hauling apparatus from May 1 to October 25, 1909, for \$226.00. There were bills from the year 1908 of about \$120.00. The expenses of woodland fires was overdrawn \$200.00.

APPARATUS

As far as can be seen at present the apparatus is in good condition, there is about 2,200 feet of hose in fair condition, and 400 feet that is in a damaged condition. We bought 350 feet of new hose, which cost \$218.75; appropriation for same \$200.00.

HOUSES

Repairs have been made on House No. 1, one side having been shingled, a new gutter, in fact, a new coving had to be made before the shingling could be done, at House No. 2, the chimney has been rebuilt. The West Street House was given a coat of paint, \$141.65 was the cost of said repairs, appropriation \$150.00.

FIRE ALARM

A new box, No. 25, has been placed on South Main Street, near the Avon line; the appropriation was \$100, the expense of same was \$116.58. The system is in pretty good condition at present.

The following amounts are recommended for the coming year:

General expenses.....	\$1,100 00
Pay of men, \$12 each.....	576 00
Pay of men, hour service	275 00
Woodland fires.....	100 00
Engineer and fireman of steamer.....	35 00
Fire Alarm.....	200 00
New hose.....	200 00
	\$2,486 00

Respectfully submitted,

C. A. WALES, Chief,	} Engineers.
J. E. BLANCHE,	
M. F. SULLIVAN,	
GEO. A. ROEL,	
W. A. CROAK, Clerk,	

Twenty-third Annual Report
OF THE
WATER COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
For the Year Ending December 31, 1909

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The twenty-fourth annual report of the Water Commissioners is hereby submitted for the year ending December 31, 1909.

Orders were drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$10,879.93 as follows:

For Joint maintenance.....	\$2,362 36
Randolph maintenance.....	1,547 62
Service pipe construction.....	459 00
Oak street extension.....	1,827 82
Interest on bonds.....	4,600 00
Balance of joint account.....	83 13
	\$10,879 93

JOINT MAINTENANCE

Paid Chas. D. Hill, supplies.....	\$ 6 56
James Fardy.....	10 65
Roberts Iron Works.....	15 44
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber co.....	54 72

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Paid Cyclone Grate Bar co., grate.....	\$151 25
H. W. Pratt, insurance.....	6 30
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	8 75
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Co.....	2 80
R. B. McKim.....	1 50
Richard F. Forrest, labor.....	223 06
Wm. E. Rider & Co.....	7 04
W. H. Ward, paint, etc.....	18 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	43 68
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	6 00
Augustus Forrest, labor.....	52 00
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.....	3 17
John Carr, labor.....	6 50
Walworth Manufacturing Co.....	63 70
Estate of Chas. H. Nichols, teams.....	38 40
John W. Porter, coal.....	526 57
James W. McGerigee, labor.....	6 35
P. J. McGrath, sealing scales.....	1 15
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	2 75
W. L. Pulson, stock and labor.....	55 91
N. E. Buck, fertilizer.....	8 50
Faunce Express.....	95
Valvoline Oil Co.....	38 63
American Tool & Machine Co.....	3 51
Randolph Clothing Co., rubber boots.....	6 00
M. E. Leahy.....	1 50
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.....	5 25
J. H. Burdakin, register.....	3 65
Henry Campbell, painting.....	12 00

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Paid	John B. McNeill, blacksmith.....	\$8 70
	R. N. Stone, painting standpipes.....	250 00
	C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	19 50
	M. E. Leahy, coal.....	616 44
	James E. Blanche, teams.....	15 00
	F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	4 98
	John V. Beal, professional services.....	55 00
		\$2,362 36
Received from Avon for water.....		330 00
		\$2,032 36

JOINT BILLS PAID BY HOLBROOK WATER DEPARTMENT

Paid	W. H. Ward, salary.....	\$1,099 92
	John W. Porter, coal.....	818 15
	Maurice Murphy, team.....	2 50
	C. H. McCarter, labor.....	31 30
	E. Bowen, printing.....	3 00
	Jesse Sullivan, labor.....	10 00
	Patrick Jordan, labor.....	5 50
	Geo. T. Wilde, supplies.....	39 15
	W. H. Ward, repairing clock.....	1 25
	F. Talcott, benzine.....	1 10
	Burbank & Rider, paint.....	186 75
		\$2,198 62

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Total joint account.....	\$4,230 98
One half paid by each town.....	<u>\$2,115 49</u>
Paid by Randolph as above.....	\$2,032 36
Bal. paid Holbrook Water Dept.....	83 13
	<u>\$2,115 49</u>

RANDOLPH MAINTENANCE

Paid National Meter Co., meters.....	\$133 76
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	28 83
John B. McNeill, blacksmith.....	3 05
Chas. D. Hill, supplies.....	1 80
James Fardy, blacksmith.....	4 45
Boston Safe Dep. & Trust Co., box rent.....	10 00
Register Publishing Co., printing.....	29 00
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	40 50
A. W. Alden, labor and postage.....	27 74
Richard F. Forrest, labor.....	301 79
Wm. M. L. McAdams, register.....	10 00
John Carr, labor.....	25 25
Herbert A. Howard, postage.....	7 50
Somerville Savings Bank, interest.....	120 00
Arlington Five Cent Savings Bank, interest..	40 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest.....	35 00
Est. Chas. H. Nichols, use of horses.....	119 75
Braintree Water Dept., testing meters.....	8 50
Neptune Meter Co., meters.....	129 20
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Co., freight.....	34

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Paid Thomson Meter Co., meters.....	\$17 50
Wm. Dear, labor.....	2 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	1 31
John V. Beal, professional services.....	37 00
Jos. T. Leahy, cash paid.....	8 00
Timothy Lyons, express.....	5 35
Daniel B. White, salary.....	150 00
Wm. F. Barrett, salary.....	125 00
Richard F. Forrest, salary.....	125 00
	\$1,547 62

SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION

Paid Morton Holbrook, labor.....	\$ 68 00
Patrick Ryan, labor.....	38 38
Robert Hamilton, labor.....	4 00
John Carr, labor.....	27 75
Frank S. Woodman, labor.....	6 00
Sumner & Gerald, fixtures.....	150 22
Roswell Eddy, labor.....	2 00
Union Water Meter Co., fixtures.....	56 20
M. E. Leahy, carting pipe.....	8 00
Eben Holbrook, labor.....	2 00
P. F. Clark, labor.....	5 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Co., freight.....	25
Frank Mann, labor.....	15 00
Cornelius Good, labor.....	6 88
Hyde Park Water Co., pipe.....	68 32
	\$459 00

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OAK STREET EXTENSION

Paid Tenney, Morse & Co., 1800 ft. 6 in. pipe and caulking lead.....	\$818 76
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad, freight.....	1 33
George A. Poole, supplies.....	2 60
Jas. Fardy, blacksmith.....	5 30
J. E. Sprague, dynamite.....	18 50
E. M. Mann, gravel.....	1 68
Darling Pump Co., hydrants.....	106 78
Estate of Chas. H. Nichols, teams.....	4 00
D. Henderson, blacksmith.....	13 15
M. E. Leahy, wood and labor.....	15 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	1 20
Wm. H. Carroll, labor and team.....	7 00
Timothy Lyons, carting pipe.....	30 67
Sundry persons, labor.....	801 85
	\$1,827 82

RECEIPTS

For Water, fixed rates.....	\$5,428 70
Water, meter rates.....	3,456 88
Meter, Rentals.....	446 99
Pipe and Fixtures.....	277 96
Labor.....	120 00
Water to Town of Avon.....	330 00
	\$10,060 53
Rebates.....	22 50
Paid to Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer.....	\$10,038 03

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There is due the department from sundry persons as follows:

For Water by Fixed Rates.....	\$427 50
Water by Meter and Rentals.....	909 84
Service pipe and labor.....	38 00
	\$1,375 34

The commissioners ask for an appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars for the Sinking fund.

DANIEL V. WHITE,
WILLIAM F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

Randolph, Mass., Feb. 3, 1910.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water Commissioners and find them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

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HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 8th day of December, 1909, by Inspector W. O. Young. One H. T. Boiler, No. 2.

Internally:—The inner surfaces are practically clean and show no defects. Braces are sound and taut. Rivet sections and head flanges show no fractures. Openings are clear and the fusible plug is in order.

Externally:—The fire surfaces show no signs of overheating. Seams and tube ends are free from leakage. Appliances are in working order. Brick work is in good repair and pressure gage is correct.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,

Manager.

Boston, December 10, 1909.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam

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boiler inspected on the 6th day of January, 1910, by inspector R. L. Hemingway. One H. T. Boiler, No. 1.

Internally:—The surfaces were virtually clean. Braces were sound and of good tension. Openings to connections were clear. Fusible plug was intact.

Externally:—No evidence of leakage or distress was noted on shell, seams or tube ends. Brick work was in fair repair. Appliances were in order. Steam gage was tested and found correct.

To comply with the State Law, certificates of inspection should be hung up under glass in either boiler or engine room.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,

Manager.

Boston, January 10, 1910,

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,

Randolph, Mass.

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To the Water Commissioners

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works.

The following is the usual table:

1909	Gallons pumped	Daily average gallons pumped	Pounds coal burned	Average pounds coal burned daily
January.....	8,997,296	209,235	56,490	1,822
February.....	8,435,617	301,272	52,090	1,860
March.....	10,349,500	333,854	59,420	1,916
April.....	9,870,000	329,000	52,800	1,760
May.....	10,963,400	353,600	61,100	1,971
June.....	16,661,400	555,380	82,480	2,749
July.....	23,769,900	766,771	107,110	3,455
August.....	20,872,600	673,310	99,720	3,216
September.....	10,092,000	503,066	73,060	2,435
October.....	14,830,200	478,381	79,830	2,575
November.....	12,417,400	413,913	63,940	2,131
December.....	12,429,900	400,965	68,950	2,224
Totals.....	164,689,213	451,203	856,990	
Increase over last year.....	33,716,744	92,372	102,780	280

Largest day's pumping, July 15, 1909, 1,173,200 gallons.
Time 13 hours, 15 minutes,

Largest week's pumping ended August 2, 1909, 7,014,700 gallons. Increase over last year, 1,303,894 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WARD, Engineer.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the

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first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time

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when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises, and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after the same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

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13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay all expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than.....	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet.....	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet	

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for all, each family.....	\$5 00
One faucet for each family.....	6 00
For first bathtub.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family.....	4 00
Each additional bathtub.....	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family.....	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet.....	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than.....	20 00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub.....	3 00

Boarding-Houses and Hotels

First faucet.....	\$10 00
Each additional faucet.....	3 00
First bathtub.....	10 00
Each additional bathtub.....	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet.....	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet.....	3 00

Private Stables

First horse.....	\$5 00
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Each additional horse.....	\$3 00
Each cow or ox.....	1 00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses.....	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each.....	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages. Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building Purposes. Each cask of lime or cement....	05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch nozzle to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year.....	\$5 00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons.....	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gallons average per day per 1,000 gallons.....	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons.....	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$8.

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Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WM. F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

REPORT
OF
TOWN TREASURER

Report of Town Treasurer

WATER DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1908.....	\$ 108 15
Received water rates.....	10,038 03
Received interest on deposit.....	3 16
Received proceeds of \$1,500 note (extension of Main on Oak Street).....	1,503 82
Received proceeds of \$300 note (extension of Main on Oak Street).....	300 00
	\$11,953 16

Disbursements

Paid orders of Water Commissioners..	\$6,279 93
Interest on water bonds.....	4,600 00
	\$10,879 93
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1909.....	\$1,073 23

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT BY MONTHS

Month	Receipts	Payments	Balance
December, 1908..			\$108 15
January, 1909 ...	\$1,292 97	\$540 00	861 12
February ...	624 22	.....	1,485 34
March ...	354 18	348 36	1,491 16
April ...	221 13	1,342 75	369 54
May ...	340 82	140 00	570 36
June ...	320 78	180 36	710 78
July ...	2,650 00	821 05	2,539 73
August ...	563 72	991 31	2,112 14
September ...	295 64	10 02	2,397 76
October ...	226 82	2,320 20	304 38
November ...	355 91	430 13	230 16
December ...	4,598 82	3,755 75	1,073 23
Totals.....	\$11,845 01	\$10,879 93	\$1,073 23

Randolph, Mass., February 3, 1910.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners, and find the same correct, and the balance as stated above.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with Randolph Water
Loan Sinking Fund.

Receipts

Balance December 31, 1908.....	\$5,222 64
Received Town appropriation.....	2,500 00

Received interest:

On 22 Town of Randolph bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	880 00
On Town of Randolph note, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent.....	120 00
On four Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On O. C. R. R. bond, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent	120 00
On 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 6 per cent.....	180 00
On 7 Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 5 per cent.....	350 00
On 3 Fitchburg R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	120 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On 1 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond, \$1,000, one year, at 4 per cent.....	40 00
On 8 Am. Tel. & Tel. bonds, one year, at 4 per cent	320 00

On deposit at Savings Banks:

Randolph.....	35 02
North Easton.....	38 38

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Quincy.....	\$38 22
Abington.....	18 58
Brockton.....	15 78
City Trust Co.....	6 60
	\$10,165 22

Expenditures

Paid for 8 Am. Tel. & Tel. Coll Tr. 4's, due 1929..	\$7,588 17
Paid for Town of Randolph note (extension main on Oak Street).....	300 00
Deposited in Savings Banks.....	145 98
Balance on deposit in City Trust Co.....	2,131 07
	\$10,165 22

Financial Exhibit of the Water Department, December 31,
1909

Liabilities

Water bonds outstanding:

Due April 1, 1912.....	\$20,000 00
Dec. 31, 1912.....	700 00
Dec. 31, 1914.....	1,500 00
Dec. 31, 1914.....	300 00
May 1, 1917.....	40,000 00
May 1, 1918.....	20,000 00
Dec. 16, 1918.....	1,000 00

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July 1, 1922.....	\$25,000 00	
Nov. 5, 1923.....	3,000 00	
July 1, 1926.....	10,000 00	
	\$121,500 00	
Interest Dec. 31, 1909 (estimated)....	1,325 00	
		\$122,825 00
Assets		
Amount in Sinking Fund.....	\$60,193 54	
Cash in hands of Treasurer.....	1,073 23	
Accounts due and unpaid.....	1,375 34	
		\$62,642 11
Net water debt Dec. 31, 1909.....	\$60,182 89	
Net water debt Dec. 31, 1908.....	64,548 82	
Decrease of net water debt in 1909	\$4,365 93	

State of the Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund, December 31, 1909

One Town of Randolph note.....	\$300 00
Eight Am. Tel. & Tel. bonds.....	8,000 00
One Old Colony R. R. bond.....	3,000 00
Twenty-two Randolph water bonds.....	22,000 00
Four Town of Randolph notes (Wales Ave.).....	2,000 00
Three Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds.....	3,000 00

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Seven Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. Co. bonds.....	\$7,000 00
Three Fitchburg R. R. bonds.....	3,000 00
Two Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds	2,000 00
One N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond.....	1,000 00
One Town of Randolph note.....	3,000 00
Deposited in Abington Savings Bank.....	479 34
Brockton Savings Bank.....	406 82
North Easton Savings Bank.....	989 32
Quincy Savings Bank.....	984 48
Randolph Savings Bank.....	902 51
City Trust Co., Boston.....	2,131 07
	\$60,193 54

Randolph, Mass., February 3, 1910.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have examined the Sinking Fund, and find it to agree with the statements above made.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer, in account with Town of Randolph

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Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1908.....	\$5,430 31
Received for notes in anticipation of taxes.....	48,000 00

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Received for two high school notes...	\$ 3,000 00
Received taxes of 1905.....	\$ 391 45
1906.....	3,549 14
1907.....	8,400 00
1908.....	9,200 00
1909 (excise).....	1,379 12
1909 (regular).....	33,700 00
	\$56,619 71

Received from Selectmen for sundry accounts.... \$1,141 00

Received from State Treasurer:

Corporation tax, 1908, balance of...	\$ 3 42
Inspector of animals.....	50 00
Corporation tax 1909, in part.....	2,661 21
National Bank tax, 1909.....	1,571 06
Military aid, 1908.....	213 00
State aid, 1908.....	3,922 00
Burial indigent soldiers, 1908.....	185 00
Street railway tax, 1909.....	1,029 19

\$9,634 88

Received from other towns, pauper account:

Abington.....	\$112 25
Billerica.....	49 25
Brockton.....	115 13
Taunton.....	10 75
Milford.....	12 00

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Avon.....	\$ 37 69
Quincy.....	27 00
Holliston.....	32 70

\$396 77

Received interest:

On deposits.....	\$ 57 57
On taxes.....	2,524 33

\$2,581 90

Received on account of School Committee:

From State tuition.....	\$142 50
State Superintendent schools.	500 00
Massachusetts school fund....	808 35
Dog licenses.....	503 36
Interest Coddington fund.....	88 72
Sale of books.....	15 00
Contribution for desk.....	17 90
Sale of stoves.....	17 00
Sale of grass.....	25 00

\$2,117 83

Received for

Rent of tenement (High School)....	\$10 00
Use of telephone.....	10
Court fees, Quincy.....	86 91
Court fees, Dedham.....	15 00

\$112 01

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Received for licenses:

3 billiard and pool.....	\$6 00
1 auctioneer's.....	2 00
2 slaughter house.....	2 00

\$10 00

Received from High School Committee:

From sale of Barn.....	\$95 00
Shed.....	20 00
Wagon shed.....	30 00
House.....	450 00
House.....	380 00
Grass.....	22 00
Fences and small build- ings.....	28 00
From interest on above.....	1 37

\$1,026 37

\$130,070 78

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Paid Orders of Selectmen.....	\$77,347 93
Town notes.....	48,000 00
Balance on hand December 31, 1909.....	4,722 85

\$130,070 78

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CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENTS

MONTHS	RECEIPTS						EXPENDITURES		BALANCE	
	Taxes	Selectmen sundry accounts	Notes	Interest	Other towns pauper ac.	State Treasurer	All other sources	Town orders		Notes
December, 1908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$ 10 00	\$2,269 00	.....	\$5,430 31
January, 1909	.....	.....	.....	\$204 56	\$161 50	.....	.....	2,023 55	.....	3,171 31
February	.....	.....	.....	152 51	173 49	\$3 42	1,026 37	12,079 25	.....	3,813 82
March	\$2,300 00	\$42 75	\$13,000 00	257 65	.....	.....	8 02	4,327 47	.....	8,233 11
April	2,100 00	.....	30,000 00	3 19	.....	.....	5 00	8,575 53	.....	10,371 31
May	1,200 00	.....	5,000 00	504 73	27 00	.....	175 40	3,207 61	\$25,000	.....
June	1,600 00	85 00	.....	3 03	32 70	.....	74 10	4,168 96	.....	8,030 97
July	2,800 00	.....	.....	164 43	.....	50 00	525 00	3,207 61	.....	5,141 01
August	2,791 45	.....	.....	301 56	.....	.....	17 00	4,938 51	.....	3,899 18
September	4,300 00	31 00	.....	50 91	.....	.....	3 00	7,512 34	.....	4,172 45
October	27,900 00	136 87	.....	109 74	.....	.....	.....	9,713 31	10,000	3,883 50
November	3,949 14	149 78	.....	829 59	2 08	9,581 46	1,421 88	13,244 61	5,000	14,439 38
December	6,479 12	695 60	3,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,000	13,539 19
Totals, 1909	\$56,619 71	\$1,141 00	\$51,000 00	\$2,581 90	\$396 77	\$9,634 88	\$3,266 21	\$77,347 93	\$48,000	\$4,722 85
Totals, 1908	48,249 23	1,115 53	67,500 00	805 55	639 19	9,653 05	2,395 48	85,495 87	42,000	5,430 31
Totals, 1907	43,078 42	811 93	89,000 00	1,916 93	1,073 36	9,773 81	2,424 68	72,874 53	73,000	2,577 15
Totals, 1906	43,670 47	749 76	42,000 00	1,122 29	646 21	10,809 84	2,200 35	63,046 71	40,000	381 55
Totals, 1905	44,631 05	885 71	40,000 00	2,185 72	1,388 14	10,045 39	2,284 44	61,330 76	40,300	2,229 34

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FINANCIAL EXHIBIT, DEC. 31, 1909

Liabilities

One note @ 4%, Liberty and Lafayette Streets..	\$ 630 00
One note @ 4%, Liberty, North and Lafayette Streets.....	500 00
Four notes, \$500 each, @4%, Wales Avenue. . .	2,000 00
One note @ 4%, Coddington Fund.....	1,600 00
Twenty-eight notes, @ 4½%, refunding town debt	32,000 00
Eighteen notes, @ 4 1-10%, New High School...	27,000 00
Two notes, \$1,000 each, @ 5%, North Grammar School.....	2,000 00
Three notes, \$500 each, @ 4%, Woodlawn Street	1,500 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 3.29%.....	15,000 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 3.38%.....	10,000 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 4%.....	3,000 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 4½%.....	3,000 00
	\$98,230 00

Assets

Unpaid taxes of 1907.....	\$ 845 29
1908.....	9,237 64
1909.....	20,114 28
Interest on taxes estimated.....	1,000 00
State aid, 1909.....	4,370 00
Military aid, 1909.....	244 20
Burial indigent soldiers, 1909.....	148 00

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Corporation tax, balance.....	\$ 54 70	
Due from Duxbury.....	112 50	
Abington.....	186 18	
Brockton.....	169 86	
Quincy.....	72 90	
Braintree.....	57 32	
Billerica.....	86 50	
Taunton.....	14 53	
Canton.....	79 76	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1909.....	4,722 85	
		\$41,516 51
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1909....		56,713 49
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1908....		57,205 69
Decrease of debt in 1909.....		\$492 20

In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund note of \$1,600, and also a deposit of \$300 in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of both of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

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Randolph, Mass., February 3, 1910.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries made for all payments and receipts.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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STATEMENT SHOWING PROVISION FOR PAYMENT OF TOWN NOTES

Year	Woodlawn St.	Liberty and Lafayette Sts.	Liberty, North and Lafayette Sts.	North Gram- mar School	Wales Ave.	Refunding notes	New High School	Appropriation necessary
1910.....		\$630	\$500			\$1500	\$1500	\$4130
1911.....				\$1000	\$500	1500	1500	4500
1912.....				1000	500	1500	1500	4500
1913.....	\$500				500	1500	1500	4000
1914.....	500				500	1500	1500	4000
1915.....	500					1500	1500	3500
1916.....						1500	1500	3000
1917.....						1500	1500	3000
1918.....						1000	1500	2500
1919.....						1000	1500	2500
1920.....						1000	1500	2500
1921.....						1000	1500	2500
1922.....						1000	1500	2500
1923.....						1000	1500	2500
1924.....						1000	1500	2500
1925.....						1000	1500	2500
1926.....						1000	1500	2500
1937.....						1000	1500	2500
1927.....						1000		1000
1928.....						1000		1000
1929.....						1000		1000
1930.....						1000		1000
1931.....						1000		1000
1932.....						1000		1000
1933.....						1000		1000
1934.....						1000		1000
1935.....						1000		1000
1936.....						1000		1000
								\$65,630
Coddington Fund—on demand								1,600
Anticipation of taxes								31,000
								\$98,230

Record of Town Meetings, 1909

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, March 1, 1909.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated February 15, 1909, duly served and returned by Michael F. Sullivan, Constable, the voters of the Town of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, on Monday, March 1, 1909.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the Moderator called the meeting to order. The warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk, after which action was taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such town officers as towns are by law authorized to choose at their annual meeting, viz.: a Moderator, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, three Selectmen and Overseers of Poor, an Assessor for three years, a School Committee, three Auditors, seven Constables, three Fish Wardens, three Fence Viewers, one Trustee of

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Stetson School Fund, one Water Commissioner, a Tree Warden and a Collector of Taxes; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?" That the polls shall be kept open until 2 o'clock P. M., that Articles 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Monday, March 15, 1909, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The Moderator appointed the following committee:

John V. Beal,

John K. Willard,

Daniel J. Brennan,

Peter Casey,

Edwin M. Mann,

Walter H. Lyons,

Joseph P. Kelliher.

The following persons served as election officers:

At ballot box, Peter J. McGrath; at check list, James J. Shea; officers at gates, Bernard Moore, Richard Harris; officer outside hall, John F. Gill. Ballot Clerks, James W. Farrell, Thomas L. Stetson. Deputy Ballot Clerks, William A. Croak, Dennis F. Mahoney. Tellers, Frank H. Tileston, George A. Roel, Joseph J. McMahon, Peter Quinn, Frank H. Jaquith, Rev. John N. Shipman, Nelson Mann, Thomas J. Smith, George F. Sawyer, James J. Hurley, William W. Hurley.

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The ballot box was examined and found in good order. It was opened twice during the time set for balloting, viz.: At 9.15 A. M., when 347 ballots had been cast. At 11.30 A. M., when 545 ballots had been cast.

At two o'clock P. M. it was voted to close the polls.

During the counting of the ballots and before declaration of the result the following Articles were acted on:

Article 2. To choose all such town officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

The following named persons were elected to fill the offices set against their respective names, viz.:

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK

Charles H. Cole
Charles D. Hill
Eugene Thayer

Joseph T. Leahy
*Daniel B. White
*Michael E. Leahy

POUND-KEEPER

*Michael M. Sullivan

FIELD DRIVERS

Jeremiah T. Daly
*Daniel P. Lyons
Thomas Dee

John Rodden
Daniel Cullity
*James E. Foley

*Oath of office taken.

Article 4. Voted, that action under this Article be deferred until the adjourned meeting.

Article 18. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, and fix the sum he is authorized to borrow.

Voted, unanimously, that for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to and for the use of the town of Randolph, in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, the Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, to borrow, from time to time, a sum or sums in the aggregate amounting to not more than forty-eight thousand dollars, and to execute and deliver the note or notes of the town thereof, payable within one year from the time the loan is made, and at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent. per annum; all debts incurred under this vote by the town shall be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 19. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue notes of the town to replace those now outstanding, the same to be refunded upon such terms as they deem most favorable to the town.

Voted, unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money to replace, renew or refund any or all notes of the town now

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outstanding that may be now due or on demand or that may become due during the present year.

Article 30. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be in any manner interested, as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Selectmen be so authorized and appointed.

Article 31. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested, as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the waters of Great Pond, or in the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted, that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

The ballots having been counted, declaration of the result was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots cast..... 765

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FOR MODERATOR

*†Fred M. French.....	495
Blanks.....	269
Scattering.....	1

FOR TOWN CLERK

*†Joseph T. Leahy.....	579
Blanks.....	186

FOR TOWN TREASURER

*†Joseph T. Leahy.....	550
Blanks.....	215

FOR SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

(1 Year)

*†John E. McDonald.....	369
Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	341
George H. Eddy.....	265
James E. Foley.....	203
*†Otis L. Soule.....	355
*†Charles H. Thayer.....	354
Blanks.....	408

FOR ASSESSOR

(3 Years)

*†Charles H. Thayer.....	461
Blanks.....	304

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FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

(3 Years)

John E. Bradley.....	293
*†Jeremiah J. Desmond.....	375
Scattering.....	1
Blanks.....	96

FOR TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND

(3 Years)

John E. Bradley.....	291
*†Jeremiah J. Desmond.....	270
Blanks.....	104

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER

(3 Years)

William F. Barrett.....	521
Blanks.....	244

FOR AUDITORS

*†Michael F. Cunningham.....	473
*†John K. Willard.....	494
*†John B. Wren.....	464
Blanks.....	864

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

*†Arthur W. Alden.....	512
Blanks.....	253

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FOR CONSTABLES

*†Frank J. Donahoe.....	450
*†Joseph H. Foster.....	366
*†Frank W. Harris.....	444
*†Michael F. Sullivan.....	355
E. Forrest Knight.....	324
*†Lincoln Stetson.....	381
James Foley.....	351
*†John Haney.....	488
*†P. Joseph Riley.....	409
Scattering.....	6
Blanks.....	1781

FOR FENCE VIEWERS

*†Charles H. Cole.....	336
*†John Lyons.....	367
William Mahady.....	299
*†James Riley.....	399
Blanks.....	891
Scattering.....	3

FOR FISH WARDENS

*†Walter L. Hickey.....	243
*†James H. Dunphy.....	306
Luke Mulligan.....	238
Daniel J. Sullivan.....	226
*†John F. Rodden.....	257

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Blanks.....	1023
Scattering.....	2

FOR TREE WARDEN

Charles H. Cole.....	272
*†James E. Blanche.....	366
Blanks.....	125
Scattering.....	1

VOTE ON LICENSE QUESTION

Yes.....	281
No.....	395
Blanks.....	89

Voted, to adjourn to March 15, 1909.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, March 15, 1909.

The annual town meeting, adjourned from March 1, 1909, to this date, was called to order at 7.30 P. M. by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

*Elected. *†Oath of office taken.

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The Committee on Appropriations submitted a printed report of their recommendations, a copy of which was presented each voter.

Voted, unanimously, that the report of the Committee on Appropriations be accepted.

Article 3. To hear the reports of the town officers and act thereon.

Voted, that the reports of said officers for the year ending Dec. 31, 1908, be accepted.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 209, Acts of 1908, entitled "An Act to provide for the protection of Forest or Sprout lands from fire."

Action under this Article was taken by ballot as follows:

Whole number ballots.....	65
Yes.....	56
No.....	6
Blanks.....	3
Total.....	65

Article 5. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

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Voted, that the sum of \$15,450.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

For teaching.....	\$7,800 00
Care of rooms.....	1,000 00
Fuel.....	850 00
Books and supplies.....	1,400 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs.....	1,100 00
Conveyance of pupils.....	400 00
Superintendent of schools.....	600 00
Stetson High School.....	2,600 00

It is also recommended that the Town authorize the School Committee to receive compensation for

their services to an amount not exceeding.....	300 00
Grading New High School Grounds.....	1,000 00
	\$17,050 00

Less the following estimates:

Revenue from Dog Tax, State School

Fund and Coddington Fund.....	\$1,100 00
State, for Superintendent of Schools..	300 00
State, for Salary of teachers.....	200 00
	1,600 00

Total.....	\$15,450 00
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It is also voted, unanimously, that the Treasurer, with approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be authorized and directed

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to borrow upon notes of the town of Randolph, such sums of money not exceeding three thousand dollars as may be required to pay the expenses incurred for the support of schools, including Stetson High School from January 1, 1910, to March 1, 1910, and that said notes thus issued shall be a part of and be paid from the money raised and appropriated for the support of schools for the year 1910.

Article 6. To raise money to defray the general town expenses for the current year and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$19,426.07 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1,600 00
Poor in Almshouse.....	2,000 00
Poor out of Almshouse.....	2,800 00
Soldiers' Relief.....	450 00
Soldiers' Relief in Randolph and Holbrook.....	150 00
Military aid.....	125 00
Town officers.....	1,100 00
Board of Health.....	125 00
Interest on Town debt.....	3,000 00
Lockup expenses.....	150 00
Expenses of Tree Warden.....	500 00
Births, Marriages, Deaths and Court fees.....	200 00
Town note, vote of 1899.....	850 00
Town note, vote of 1900.....	630 00
Town note, vote of 1901.....	500 00
Town note, vote of 1907.....	1,500 00

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Town note, vote of 1907.....	\$1,500 00
Overdraft, 1908.....	2,246 07
Total.....	<u>\$19,426 07</u>

Also that the interest on the taxes and deposits during the year 1909 be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the town debt. Also that the overlay tax of the current year be appropriated towards meeting any abatement of taxes which may be allowed.

Article 7. To raise and appropriate money for the repairs of Highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways, including pavings and sidewalks, and in addition thereto, the street railway tax and excise tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,435.00 (exclusive of the amounts recommended under Articles 22, 24, 25 and 36) be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for sprinkling streets.

Voted, that the sum of \$500.00 be raised and appropriated for sprinkling streets.

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Article 10. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1909-1910 and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1909-1910, and that the sum of \$120 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1909-1910 and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the town pay for the expense of the insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1909-1910, and that the sum of \$40 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 12. To see if the town will make appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Voted, that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,636.00 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1,100 00
Pay of 48 men, \$12 each.....	576 00

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Pay of 48 men, hour service.....	\$275 00
For fires in woodland.....	100 00
Engineer of steamer.....	20 00
Firemen of steamer.....	15 00
Fire alarm.....	200 00
Repairs of houses.....	150 00
New hose.....	200 00
Total.....	\$2,636 00

Article 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payments of the Randolph Water Loan.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan" when due.

Article 15. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor and raise and appropriate money therefor.

It is recommended that the sum of \$250 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for the attendance upon all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the town of Randolph, for one year from January 1, 1909. That is to say, each physician resident in the town on the first of March, 1909, shall receive the sum of \$50 for his services pro-

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vided he makes 34 visits during the year; after that he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of this town's poor within its limits as may call upon him for his services; those physicians who make less than thirty-four visits shall receive pay at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents for each of said visits.

Article 16. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers to enforce the laws, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officers.

Voted, that the town instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers, or direct officers elected by the town, to enforce all the laws of the Commonwealth, and that the sum of \$700 and no more be raised and appropriated for said purpose; and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 17. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted, that three-fourths of one per cent. be allowed for the collection of taxes.

Article 20. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on or after October 10, 1909.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

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Article 21. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means which a town treasurer may use when acting as collector.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to place an additional electric light on South Main street near the Avon Town line as petitioned for by E. C. Linfield and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the light asked for under this Article be furnished and that the sum of \$13.50 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to place a fire alarm box on South Main street between the residence of E. F. Knight and the Avon Town line as petitioned for by E. C. Linfield and others, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the Fire Alarm box petitioned for in this Article be installed and that the sum of \$100 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to place an additional electric light on Silver street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that one additional light be placed on the northerly portion of Silver street, and that the sum of \$13.50 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to place electric

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lights on North Main street between West Corners and Pond street as petitioned for by J. Thomas Bodycote and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that five lights be furnished for North Main street, between West Corners and Pond street, and that the sum of \$67.50 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 26. To see if the town will vote to build a sidewalk on North Main street from West Corners to Pond street as petitioned for by J. Thomas Bodycote and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the subject matter under this Article be postponed for the present year.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take in relation to spraying the trees of the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$200 be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

Article 28. To see what action the town will take in regard to fixing the compensation for services of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor and also the assessors and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$650 be the compensation for the services of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, and that the sum of \$500 be the compensation for the services of the

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Assessors, and that the sum of \$1,150 be raised and appropriated for all three officers.

Article 29. To see what action the town will take in relation to the insurance and repairs on the Turner Free Library and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for these purposes.

Article 32. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Voted, that each person employed by the town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and that the laborers residing in town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational church.

Voted, that the sum of \$20 be raised and appropriated for the care of the clock in the spire of the Congregational Church.

Article 34. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on Oak street to the residence of L. Weston Mann as petitioned for by W. E. Sheldon and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the subject matter under this Article be postponed until the Water Commissioners petition the Legislature for permission to issue bonds, notes and script to an amount not exceeding \$20,000 for the construction and extension of its water main, and that the Commissioners be directed to so petition the Legislature as early as possible.

Article 35. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay a larger main in Woodlawn street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the subject matter of this Article be postponed until authority from the Legislature shall be obtained in the manner recommended under Article 34.

Article 36. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on Woodlawn street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that three lights be furnished for Woodlawn street and that the sum of \$40,50 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 37. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

Report of the Committee appointed by the Town of Randolph to contract for, and superintend the construction of, a new high school building and purchase the site selected therefor.

Pursuant to the authority conferred upon your committee they submit to the town the following report:—

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By Chapter 177 of the Acts of the Legislature for the year 1906 the town of Randolph was authorized to borrow a sum of money, not exceeding \$30,000 for the purpose of purchasing land and erecting a new high school building thereon, and for improving and repairing its present school buildings.

The town having elected to make provision for the improvement of its school buildings in the usual manner under the general law, it left the full amount of \$30,000 for the erection of the high school building.

Your committee, in accordance with the vote of the town passed at its annual meeting in 1907, purchased the Dr. Alden homestead for the site of the building and paid therefor \$8,000. As this purchase included all the buildings thereon, we have been enabled to reduce the cost of the site by sales, rental and insurance abatements:—\$1,209.87, making the actual expenditure for the land \$6,790.13, leaving a balance of \$23,209.-87, with which to erect the building.

To dispose of the buildings in a manner which would be the most advantageous for the town, required much consideration, in order that the taxable valuation might be preserved as much as possible. The result of our deliberation and action thereon is well known and needs no explanation or comment.

The title to the premises was not vested in the town until July, 1907, some considerable delay having been caused from the difficulty at the time of securing a loan at a reasonable rate of interest. The treasurer of the town was fortunate in obtaining the loan from the State Treasury, where interest would only be charged on each instalment from the time of

making. Before the deed was accepted the title was examined, and a plan of the land made, which with the deed have been recorded.

As to the selection of an architect your committee would say, that, before making a choice, many plans were presented by various architects, and modern school buildings in towns in our vicinity were visited by the committee. The competition was close, but the choice of Hurd and Gore of Boston was finally made, and there has been no reason to regret our conclusion.

It was through these architects that the committee found it possible to obtain a brick building. Acting upon such information all due efforts in availability and economy were made. Such a conjecture, however, was not without difficulties, which at one time seemed well nigh insurmountable. To find a contractor of experience and reputation who would consider the limited means which were available for this project was not an easy task.

Foreseeing the liability of having an uncompleted building upon our hands unless dealing with responsible contractors, it behooved us to exercise extreme care in this direction. While a bond was registered to be given, nevertheless the cost of enforcing such would entail an expense which would be a waste of money. Suffice it to say, we finally succeeded in awarding the contract to Mead, Mason & Co., of Boston, whose reputation is well known.

Your committee cannot but congratulate themselves upon being associated with such men as have forwarded to comple-

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tion the erection of this building. Care was taken at the start, that everything so far as the same could be anticipated, was clearly understood, and such matter as could not be foreseen, we have found these construction parties ever ready to accommodate in the very few variations which opened to us. Under such circumstances, we are able to present to you this building, with every item of expense paid, without having incurred any lawsuit or even a disputation.

Your committee have caused to be turned into the Town Treasury from sales, rental and insurance abatement, \$1,209.87, and the net amount of disbursements as shown by the accounts of the Town Treasurer is \$29,601.36, leaving an unexpended balance in the treasurer's hands of \$398.64. If to this amount was added the expense of insurance and brokerage, which your committee claim should not have been charged to their account, a balance of \$688.64 would have been shown.

As there are certain furnishings which the building will need to put it in a proper state of utility, your committee would suggest that the town place this unexpended balance of \$398.64 under the charge of the School Committee, with instructions to apply it exclusively to such furnishings and equipment of the building as may be found necessary.

Your committee now consider their work complete, unless the town deems it expedient to place the grading under their charge.

In conclusion we would add that in the pursuit of our work during the past two years we have convened more than fifty times, and in all of these meetings there has been a marked

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degree of unanimity in our deliberation. Owing to the death of one and the illness of another, the names of two of the members of the committee do not appear.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,
HENRY A. BELCHER,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
FRED M. FRENCH,
WINTHROP B. ATHERTON,
EDWARD LONG,
REDMOND P. BARRETT,

High School Building Committee.

Voted, to accept the report as progressive and to entrust the same committee with the grading, and the unexpended balance of \$398.64 be assigned to the Trustees of the High School to be used as recommended in the above report.

Voted, that the Moderator be paid the sum of \$25 for his services.

Mr. French, having thanked the meeting, directed the Treasurer to pay that amount to Post 110, G. A. R., for its monument fund.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

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The total appropriations are as follows:

For support of Schools under Art. 5.....	\$15,450 00
For General Town Expenses, Art. 6.....	19,426 07
For Highways, Art. 7.....	3,500 00
For Street Lighting by electricity, Art. 8.....	3,435 00
For Sprinkling Streets, Art. 9.....	500 00
For Insurance on Town Treasurer's Bond, Art. 10.....	120 00
For Insurance on Tax Collector's Bond, Art. 11..	40 00
For Grand Army Post, No. 110, Art. 12.....	150 00
For Fire Department, Art. 13.....	2,636 00
For Contribution to Sinking Fund, Art. 14.....	2,500 00
For Medical Attendance on the Poor, Art. 15....	250 00
For Enforcement of Laws, Art. 16.....	700 00
For an Electric Light on South Main Street, Ar- ticle 22.....	13 50
For Fire Alarm Box, South Main St., Art. 23....	100 00
For Electric Light, Silver Street, Art. 24.....	13 50
For Electric Lights, North Main Street, Art. 25..	67 50
For Spraying Trees, Art. 27.....	200 00
For Compensation, Town Officers, Art. 28....	1,150 00
For Insurance and Repairs on Turner Free Li- brary, Art. 29	500 00
For Care of Clock, Art. 33.....	20 00
For Electric Lights, Woodlawn Street, Art. 36...	40 50
	<u>\$50,812 07</u>
State Highway Tax.....	68 64
State Tax (estimated).....	3,150 00
County Tax (estimated).....	1,971 43
Total.....	<u>\$56,002 14</u>

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To Either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Randolph, qualified to vote on town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the seventeenth day of May, instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Massachusetts Highway Commission, under the provisions of Section 10, Chapter 47 of the Revised Laws, for the construction of any section of State highway for which an allotment may be made by said Commission at any time in the future whenever, in their opinion, it is for the best interests of the town so to do.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published in said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting.

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Given under our hands at Randolph, this third day of May,
A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, May 17, 1909.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Monday, May 17, 1909.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, who caused the warrant and return to be read.

Under Article I, the Town Clerk read the provisions of Section 10, Chapter 47, of the Revised Laws, after which it was

Voted, That the Selectmen of Randolph be and are hereby authorized to contract with the Massachusetts Highway Commission, under the provisions of Section 10, Chapter 47, of the Revised Laws, for the construction of any section of State highway, for which an allotment may be made by said Com-

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mission at any time in the future, whenever in their opinion it is for the best interests of the town so to do.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record:

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,

Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the ninth day of August next, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main on Oak street to the residence of W. Leon Mann, and make provision for the same.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water

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Commissioners to extend the water main on Pond street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, but make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twenty-sixth day of July, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, August 9, 1909.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall at 8 o'clock, P. M., August 9, 1909.

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The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and the officer's return were read.

Action under Article 1 being called for, an inquiry was made as to the probable cost of each of the proposed extensions and no one present offering the information, it was

Voted, That the Water Commissioners be directed to furnish an estimate of the cost of extensions under the two Articles of the warrant and report at an adjournment of this meeting, that when this meeting adjourns, it be to Friday next, August 13, 1909, at the same hour.

Voted to adjourn.

A true record.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, August 13, 1909.

The Special Town Meeting adjourned from August 9 to this date was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

Article 1. The Water Commissioners reported that the extension contemplated by this Article would probably cost between \$1,500 and \$1,800.

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Voted, By more than a two-thirds vote, that the Water Commissioners be instructed to extend the water main on Oak street as far as the residence of W. Leon Mann, and issue bonds or notes to an amount not exceeding two thousand dollars to defray the expense of the same, said bonds or notes to be payable five years from the date of issue.

Article 2. The Water Commissioners reported that the expense of laying a six-inch pipe 600 feet on Pond street would probably be \$700 to \$800.

Voted, By more than a two-thirds vote that the Water Commissioners be instructed to extend the water main on Pond street a distance of 600 feet from its present location, and that the expense thereof be defrayed from the proceeds of the sale of a note as authorized by law, said note to be payable within five years from the date of issue.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

Attest:

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County. Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the

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Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Tuesday, the seventh day of September, proximo, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Article, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to indemnify and save harmless the Commonwealth against all claims and demands for damages which may be sustained by any person whose property is taken for or is injured by the construction of said highway, in the town of Randolph, county of Norfolk, commencing at the southerly end of the State Highway already constructed, and extending southeasterly along the present highway for about one-half mile.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, but make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twenty-sixth day of August, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, September 7, 1909.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return were read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. A plan showing the proposed changes was submitted and carefully inspected by a large number of the voters present, after which, it was

Voted, unanimously, that the Selectmen be authorized to sign an agreement with the Massachusetts Highway Commission to save harmless the Commonwealth of Massachusetts against all claims for damages which may be sustained by any person or persons whose property is taken or injured by the construction of said highway.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

Attest:

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in State elections, to assemble in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, the second day of November next, at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in to the Selectmen, on one ballot, their votes for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor for District No. 2, Senator for the First Norfolk District, Representative in the General Court for the Ninth Norfolk District, County Commissioner and County Treasurer.

The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5.45 o'clock A. M., and will remain open until 2 o'clock, and such longer time as the voters may determine.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published in said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Selectmen on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Given under our hands at Randolph this eleventh day of October, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

STATE ELECTION

Randolph, November 2, 1909.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, November 2, 1909.

The warrant and return were read by John E. McDonald, chairman of the Selectmen, and promptly at 5.45 o'clock A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The Town Clerk administered the oath of office to the following named election officers appointed by the Selectmen: Frank H. Tileston and Thomas J. Smith, deputy ballot clerks; Joseph W. O'Mahoney and Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerks; Peter J. McGrath and Richard Harris, in charge of gates; John F. Gill, officer outside hall; William F. Barrett, Frank H.

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Jaquith, Peter Quinn, Winthrop B. Atherton, Dennis F. Mahoney, Daniel P. Lyons, Fred M. French and George A. Roel, tellers.

At two o'clock it was voted that the polls be closed.

The result of the ballot follows:

Whole number ballots.....611

FOR GOVERNOR

Draper.....	218	Vahey.....	350
Nichols.....	5	White.....	24
Ruther.....	0	Blanks.....	14

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Foss.....	337	Knipe.....	4
Frothingham.....	224	Yates.....	2
Hall.....	28	Blanks.....	16

FOR SECRETARY

Clark.....	303	Merrill.....	6
D'Orsay.....	30	Olin.....	228
Hess.....	8	Blanks.....	36

FOR TREASURER

Bryan.....	294	Parlin.....	5
Carr.....	32	Stevens.....	233
Craig.....	4	Blanks.....	43

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FOR AUDITOR

Boyer.....	274	McNally.....	8
Chace.....	8	Turner.....	221
McBride.....	28	Blanks.....	72

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Dean.....	12	Shepard.....	289
Fredrikson.....	5	Sherman.....	31
Malone.....	227	Blanks.....	47

FOR COUNCILLOR

Cushing.....	223	Lord.....	34
Guy.....	288	Blanks.....	66

FOR SENATOR FIRST NORFOLK

Foley.....	308	Hultman.....	211
Hess.....	57	Blanks.....	35

FOR REPRESENTATIVE NINTH NORFOLK

Broomell.....	310	Holbrook.....	242
Hayes.....	34	Blanks.....	25

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Maxwell.....	297	Turpel.....	33
Richardson.....	222	Blanks.....	59

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FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Humphrey.....	311	Scattering.....	1
Kingsley.....	109	Blanks... ..	190

The ballots, unused ballots and check lists were sealed up in open town meeting, returns were made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the Clerk of Courts, after which it was

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,

Town Clerk.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS

Stoughton, November 12, 1909.

We, the undersigned, Town Clerks of Stoughton, Sharon and Randolph, comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the second day of November, 1909, to vote for one Representative, the following votes were given, viz.:

	R.	Sh.	St.	Total
Clyde W. Broomell of Sharon	310	134	285	729
J. Matthew Hayes of Stoughton	34	3	45	82

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Henry E. Holbrook of Stoughton	242	192	647	1,081
Blanks	25	7	31	63
Total of each town and the district ...	611	336	1,008	1,955

Henry E. Holbrook was declared elected, and certificates were signed to that effect.

GEO. H. WHITTEMORE, Town Clerk of Sharon.

GEO. O. WENTWORTH, Town Clerk of Stoughton.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, Town Clerk of Randolph.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the sixth day of December, next, at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Article, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will instruct the Trustees of

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the Stetson School Fund to change the lighting system in Stetson Hall, and make provision for the same, as petitioned for by Edmund J. Brady and others.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twenty-fourth day of November, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,

Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, December 6, 1909.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Monday, December 6, 1909.

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The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return were read.

Voted, unanimously, that the Trustees be instructed and directed to change the lighting system of Stetson Hall, and that the sum of \$100 be appropriated to be defrayed from and be a part of the taxes raised for the year 1910.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Thursday, the thirtieth day of December, instant, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Article, namely:

Article 1. To see what action the town will take in the matter of the acceptance of Section 336 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts, providing for the election of a highway surveyor at the annual town meeting, as petitioned for by Cornelius Good and others.

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And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, but make return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twentieth day of December, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and nine.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

A true copy.

Attest: MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Randolph, December 30, 1909.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters assembled in Stetson Hall on Thursday, December 30, 1909.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and officer's return, and also Section 336 of Chapter 11 of the Revised Laws were read.

Voted, That action under Article 1 be indefinitely postponed.

Voted to dissolve.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

Table of Vital Statistics

The number of intentions of marriage, marriages, births and deaths recorded during the year 1909 was as follows:

Months	Intentions of marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	1	1	8	6
February . . .	1	1	4	8
March	1	2	4	3
April	3	3	5	3
May	0	0	2	2
June	6	5	4	6
July	5	4	3	7
August	1	4	9	6
September . .	4	4	3	4
October	5	5	7	0
November . .	8	4	9	6
December . . .	0	0	7	4
Totals	35	33	65	55

Whole number of births recorded	65
Males	30
Females	35
Whole number of deaths recorded	55
Males	31
Females	24
Under five years of age	10
Between 5 and 10 years	1
10 and 20 years	1
20 and 30 years	2
30 and 40 years	2
40 and 50 years	5
50 and 60 years	6
60 and 70 years	7
70 and 80 years	8
80 and 90 years	10
Over 90 years	3
Whole number of intentions of marriage	35
Whole number of marriages	33
Couples both native born	25
both foreign born	2
one foreign, one native	6

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Marriages

RECORDED IN RANDOLPH IN 1909

Date	Names	Residence	Age
Jan. 9	William K. Vincent	Boston	25
	Phennie L. Dorr	Randolph	16
Feb. 23	Charles Grover Whitten	Avon	23
	Margaret Josephine Dear	Randolph	19
Mar. 4	Daniel M. Cullity	Randolph	45
	Mary L. Palmer (Harriman)	Randolph	47
27	John F. McCarthy	Randolph	37
	Hannah Mahoney (McCarthy)	Randolph	37
April 6	Ralph E. Dorr	Randolph	21
	Marion G. Howard	Randolph	18
14	Charles A. Perry	Randolph	31
	Delia T. Dutton (Doyle)	Boston	34
19	Joseph M. Champ	Brockton	25
	Gertrude L. Madan	Randolph	25
June 11	Charles William Evans	Randolph	26
	Esther Maria Holbrook	Randolph	25
23	William P. Heney	Randolph	32
	Jennie Louise Sullivan	Randolph	33
24	Merritt F. Bates	So. Hanson	31
	Wilhelmina Truelson	Randolph	25
30	James E. O'Connor	Randolph	27
	Nellie M. Devine	Randolph	24
30	Robert H. Dunn	Randolph	23
	Winifred A. Tighe	Stoughton	21

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MARRIAGES—*Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
July	7 Joseph M. Kelley	Weymouth	29
	Elizabeth Q. Bracken	Randolph	29
	8 William R. Roberts	Randolph	66
	Mary E. Eddy (Glover)	Randolph	49
	8 Hugh Leo Doyle	Avon	28
	Teresa G. Pope	Randolph	28
21	Charles Joseph Dolan	Randolph	18
	Dora Alice Daly	Randolph	17
Aug.	1 William J. Kelly	Fall River	25
	Mary A. Madigan	Randolph	23
	2 Fred H. Martin	Boston	23
	Edith M. Finley	Randolph	19
	11 Karl Gustaf Husberg	Randolph	34
	Amande Charlotta Manson	Sweden	33
6	Nicholas Moore	Randolph	25
	Jennie Cronkite	Randolph	21
Sept.	3 James H. Rockwell	Waltham	38
	Marion F. Scott	Randolph	19
	8 John J. Flaherty	Randolph	28
	Sarah F. Cassidy	Boston	28
	15 Joseph D. Wales	Randolph	29
	Ella A. Crowson	Stoneham	28
15	George L. Abell	So. Braintree	20
	Alice G. Devine	Randolph	20
Oct.	6 William H. Dennehy	Randolph	31
	Mary T. Conley	Avon	31
	14 Adolph Henry Krebs	Randolph	22
	Ruth Blanche Croud	Randolph	17

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MARRIAGES—*Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
Oct. 20	Carroll B. Thayer	Randolph	35
	Fannie Agnes Bliss	Boston	33
24	Henry Reno	Cambridge	39
	Anna O'Donnell	Randolph	38
28	Charles M. Thomas	Randolph	37
	Mary Waite Davidson (Waite)	Randolph	33
Nov. 17	Thomas J. Loughlin	Randolph	23
	Catherine G. Moore	Randolph	24
20	Andrew F. O'Connell	Randolph	38
	Agnes J. Kinsley	Randolph	36
24	William M. Bustard	Randolph	24
	Frances Louise Cunningham	Randolph	21
24	Thomas Cotter	Brockton	36
	Mary A. McAuliffe	Randolph	36

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Births

REGISTERED IN RANDOLPH IN 1909

Date	Name of child	Sex	Names of parents
1908			
Mar. 28	Audrey Elizabeth Stetson	F	Richmond and Cora L.—Howard
1909			
Jan. 10	Frank Edward Foley	M	Cornelius F. and Catherine E.—Mahoney
14	Harold J. Dillon	M	John P. and Mary A.—Kane
20	Stillborn	F	
21	Harold Joseph Moore	M	John T. and Mary A.—Thoms
24	Martha Foley	F	Charles J. and Martha E.—McGaughey
26	Ellen Sullivan	F	William P. and Elizabeth M.—Lyons
28	Arnold Alfred Orensen	M	Albert and Alvera—Olsen
31	Mary Eleanor Tolman	F	N. Irving and Edith A.—Porter
Feb. 7	Mary Elizabeth O'Connor	F	William J. and Mary T.—Slincy
19	David Nelson Thompson	M	Charles D. and Carrie.—Burton
23	Valentine Theodore Sass	M	Libero A. and Congetta—Simeone
25	Stillborn	F	
Mar. 2	George Raymond Hauselpaker	M	Edwin and Ida M.—Martin
17	Robert Winthrop Fairbanks	M	Ernest W. and Hattie—Borgal
18	Gertrude Frances Hennessey	F	William P. and Ellen T.—Walsh
22	Eldon Talmage Morrow	M	Talmage and Alma May—Sagar
April 4	George Tucker French	M	Frank N. and Bertha E.—Tucker
12	Ellen C. Mahan	F	James M. and Bridget A.—Green
18	Dorothy M. Gavin	F	Patrick F. and Gladys A.—Young
19	Eddy Trescot Jones	M	Herbert W. and Eva M.—Dyer
22	James Francis Brennan	M	Dennis F. and Agnes G.—Branley
May 23	Lucy Orrabelle Eddy	F	Roswell and Orrabelle—Taylor
31	Emily Laurietta Burrell	F	Samuel A. and Flossie P.—Holbrook
June 2	Pauline Frances Drummond	F	Richard J. and Pauline B.—Beaton
6	Wilbur Leonard Pierce	M	Winfred H. and Alice V.—Nott
24	John J. Crovo	M	Charles L. and Catharine F.—Mahoney
25	Eleanor Condon	F	Frank M. and Elizabeth—Myers
July 9	Stillborn	M	
16	Stillborn	F	
18	Thelma A. Berry	F	Aaron and Inez E.—Gray
Aug. 6	Antonia Costatino	F	Dominic and Margaret—George
16	Elmer Charles Linfield	M	Walter and Louise—Clothier
17	Frank Henry Linfield	M	
17	Rosina Eleanor Camelio	F	Erasmus and Maria—Valente
19	Annie Julia Adeline Nelson	F	Albin E. and Selma A.—Johnson
21	Mildred Madan	F	Lorenzo J. and Ethel May—Hardy
23	Joseph Prior	M	John J. and Lillian—Wade
28	Frank Thomas McLeod	M	Thomas R. and Nellie—Johnson
30	Tucker McDonald Vye	M	Frank W. and Amy E.—Tucker
Sept. 25	Louis William Baxter	M	William H. and Alice E.—Morgan
26	Evelyn Louise Alden	F	Jesse C. and Antoinette A.—Hoye
30	Stillborn	M	
Oct. 2	Dorothy Laura Teed	F	Gordon R. and Ethel L.—Finley
6	Joseph Henry Shea	M	Joseph T. and Mary—Burke
12	Charles Horace Edward Ford	M	Henry St. Clair and Florence Ray—Geldert
23	— Fisher	F	Albert and Amy C.—Johnson

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BIRTHS—Continued

Date	Name of child	Sex	Names of parents
24	Evelyn Anna Messier	F	Euclid J. and Margaret—Brock
31	Ruth E. Poole	F	Wesley C. and Elizabeth A.—Brady
31	Thomas Nicholas Moore	M	Nicholas and Jennie—Cronkite
Nov. 3	John William Stretton	M	John W. and Ida R.—Hunter
4	Anna Curry	F	Hugh and Margaret—Troy
5	Walter J. Duffy	M	James P. and Mary T.—Howard
6	Dorothy Pearl Gibbs	F	Arthur F. and Mary E.—Baker
6	Irene Frances Goody	F	George E. and Abby F.—Harris
9	Margaret Ruth McGaughey	F	John R. F. and Lucy E.—Shea
14	Mildred Howard Dorr	F	Ralph E. and Marion G.—Howard
18	Althea May Bates	F	Garry W. and Annie E.—Snow
27	Mary Elizabeth Granger	F	L. Dwight and Mary—Powers
Dec. 1	Charles Thomas Gilfeather	M	James D. and Elizabeth B.—Keenan
11	Joseph Madan	M	John F. and Eliza E.—La Plante
14	Eleanor Gladys Coulter	F	Clarence and Gladys B.—Whittemore
15	Catharine Clark	F	John E. and Catharine F.—Twomey
21	Ruth Louise Dixon	F	George H. and Florence L.—Baker
24	Doris Louise Pettee	F	Arthur E. and Nellie B.—Whitney
28	——— Hamlin	M	Rev. Christopher R. and Edith—Redmond

Deaths Registered in Randolph, 1909

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Date	Name	Y.	Age M.	D.	Cause of death	Birthplace
Jan. 1	Lewis B. Paine	63	7	20	Fatty degeneration of heart	Holbrook
14	Mary Rand	77	1	11	Softening of the brain	Boston
15	Thomas Harty	70	—	—	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
15	Patrick F. Kiley	42	—	—	Phthisis pulmonalis	Randolph
18	Sylvester Camello	1	—	—	Peritonitis	Randolph
31	Lars Jensen	83	9	3	Chronic nephritis	Denmark
Feb. 2	Mary A. Hurley	78	9	4	Asthma	Halifax, N. S.
5	Annie M. Mann	72	11	25	Heart disease	Braintree
7	Ina Gertrude Good	21	2	27	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Randolph
10	Sarah Hagney	91	2	—	General debility	Ireland
15	May Elizabeth Libby	7	9	—	Diabetes	Randolph
25		—	—	—	Premature birth	Randolph
25	Mary A. Lyons	80	—	—	Mitral insufficiency	Ireland
28	George Henry Nichols	85	11	5	Old age	Brattleboro, Vt.
Mar. 9	Harriet Bodreau	57	1	2	Carcinoma	Province Quebec
10	Mary A. T. Harris	74	2	4	Pneumonia	Ireland
16	Lena O. Hewins	—	9	2	Pneumonia	Randolph
April 19	Michael Stanton	55	—	—	Nephritis	Randolph
20	Allen A. Belcher	87	11	8	Cardiac failure	Brockton
23	Brittannia Eddy	85	1	5	Senile pneumonia	Randolph
May 10	Christopher Purcell	60	—	—	Apoplexy	Ireland
18	Morrison M. Alden	75	—	—	Pyonephrosis	Maine
June 9	Patrick E. O'Brien	4	9	16	Pneumonia	Randolph
11	Charles W. Foster	49	9	26	Bright's disease	Maine
16	Robert Dickey	86	10	19	Epithelioma	Maine
17	Ann Elizabeth Piper	81	—	25	Senile pneumonia	Province Quebec
19	Susan Wren	84	—	—	Heart failure	Ireland
27	Ann M. Rooney	23	10	29	Phthisis pulmonalis	Randolph
July 5	Elizabeth Welch	63	—	—	Carcinoma	Ireland
8	Crohan Malley	62	—	—	Angina pectoris	Ireland
9		—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
13	Charles C. Hutchinson	51	4	23	Hypertrophy	Chelsea
16		—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph

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DEATHS—Continued

Date	Name	Age y. m. d.	Cause of death	Birthplace
July 19	William Dyer Adams	19	Drowning	Randolph
24	Timothy Buckley	65	Heart disease	Ireland
Aug. 10	Lucius Clapp	92	Old age	North Bridgewater
11	Arthur R. Coolidge	1	Cholera infantum	Boston
11	Anna Mary Crowley	3	Heart failure	Randolph
26	Wesley W. Walsh	54	Nephritis	Holbrook
26	Martin L. Eddy	95	Fracture of femur	Randolph
31	Mary A. Hand	71	Catarhus intestinalis	Boston
Sept. 3	Marshall H. Sloane	—	Enteritis	Randolph
3	Ann Mullins	74	Enteritis	Ireland
28	Joseph M. Donovan	41	Septicoemia	Randolph
29	Everett A. Poole	—	Stillborn	Randolph
Nov. 2	Herbert A. Howard	61	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph
8	Lillian R. Trombly	65	Apoplexy	North Easton
12	H. Manley Clark	38	Peritonitis	Sandy Hill, N. Y.
12	Josephine Harriet Goeres	54	Diabetes	Randolph
17	Lillian P. Hatchfield	43	Dilatation of heart	Boston
28	Mary E. Shea	48	Cerebral hemorrhage	Concord
Dec. 12	Jane Dorman Harris	31	Tuberculosis	Weymouth
22	Michael Grey	87	Myocarditis	Randolph
23	Julia C. Alden	55	Suffocation	Brooklyn
31		81	Heart disease	Randolph

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Interments

AT RANDOLPH OF PERSONS DYING ELSEWHERE IN 1909

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
January 8	Nora Sullivan	53	—	—	Boston
January 31	Chester F. DeForest	9	2	—	Brockton
February 4	John Bradley	—	—	14	Quincy
February 7	William A. Fritts	38	—	—	Rutland, Mass.
17	Edna M. Clark	67	11	8	South Braintree
20	Waldo Loring Parker	—	5	16	Brockton
23	John Donohue	—	—	1	Boston
24	Hannah Frazier	30	—	—	Braintree
24	Alice McCormick	79	—	—	Canton
March 3	Hugh J. Dillon	21	—	8	Boston
11	Martin J. Lennon	53	—	—	Quincy
17	Ellen Reardon	69	—	—	Braintree
20	Ellen G. Meaney	58	—	—	New Bedford
30	Edwin W. Howard	82	10	19	Boston
April 31	Mary E. Greenwood	37	—	—	Brooklyn, N. Y.
April 1	Mabel L. Hazeltine	29	6	25	Braintree
16	Sarah King	89	7	22	Boston
16	Vincent Natalie	—	9	3	South Braintree
21	Patrick Mattimore	72	—	—	Holbrook
May 29	Sarah J. Wood	47	8	9	South Braintree
May 6	Francis McCall	—	—	1	Quincy
11	Frank Tissicine	1	1	5	Braintree
25	Charles F. Derrah	9	11	6	Boston
June 8	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
9	Eliza Uniack	95	—	—	Hull (Nantasket)
18	Ellen C. Sheehan	46	—	—	Brockton
July 27	William H. White	48	—	—	Dobbs Ferry, N. Y.
5	Daniel McCarthy	45	—	—	South Braintree
15	Catharine Quinn	60	—	—	Weymouth
16	Sarah A. Abell	40	—	—	South Braintree
20	Michael Behan	42	—	—	Brockton
26	Lisso Pantano	—	—	18	South Braintree
27	Sarah Cushing Beamis	90	9	9	Auburndale
27	Julius Elmo Curney	—	4	3	Quincy
August 28	Annie A. Winnett	41	3	15	Boston
8	Sarah E. Cavanaugh	—	7	23	Holbrook
8	Stillborn	—	—	—	South Braintree
8	Sarah D. White	61	6	27	South Braintree
15	Francis Mullins	—	4	11	Brockton
16	— Dakota	—	—	1	Lynn
20	Ambrose Sanger	84	—	—	Braintree
23	Samuel Hawkins, Jr.	27	—	1	Boston
24	Mildred Agnes Curney	—	5	—	Quincy
26	— Wentworth	—	—	7	Braintree
27	Anna Elizabeth Dean	4	10	13	Webster
28	Irwin LaVerne Powers	30	7	24	Niagara Falls, N. Y.

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INTERMENTS—*Continued*

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
September	3 Stillborn	—	—	—	South Braintree
	5 Dennis Long	65	—	—	South Braintree
	12 Warren Vincent Murphy	—	2	17	South Braintree
	20 Stillborn	—	—	—	Revere
	20 Ellen Beatrice Connelly	30	—	—	Revere
October	24 Carrie M. Miller	59	1	—	Whitman
	5 Ellen Ryan	60	—	—	South Braintree
	6 John A. Luciano	—	—	11	South Braintree
	6 Stillborn	—	—	—	South Braintree
	23 Frank D. Vigneau	43	0	17	Braintree
	27 Mary McCarthy	80	—	—	Roxbury
	30 Carrie Mae Messenger	27	11	3	Avon
November	1 Mary Eagan -	45	—	—	Quincy
	11 Flora E. Chapin	30	10	20	Danielson, Conn.
	11 Sarah E. Hughes	61	—	—	Boston
	12 Stillborn	—	—	—	Quincy
December	27 Cornelius F. Sullivan	33	—	—	Holbrook
	6 Ann H. Merchant	80	—	—	South Braintree
	12 Henrietta B. Mischler	23	5	—	Quincy
	19 Bridget Carney	74	4	—	Brockton

Should any person discover an error in the preceding records, he will confer a favor by notifying the Town Clerk, that correction may be made.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk.

Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in town affairs, to assemble at Stetson Hall, in said town, on Monday, the seventh day of March next, at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose all such town officers as are required by law to be chosen by ballot; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?"

Article 2. To choose all such town officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

Article 3. To hear the report of the town officers, and act thereon.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed

necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to complete the grading of the grounds around the High School Building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 6. To raise money to defray the general town expenses for the current year and appropriate the same.

Article 7. To raise money for the repair of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Article 9. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the watering of streets.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 12. To see if the town will make an appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

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Article 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payments of the "Randolph Water Loan."

Article 15. To see if the town will instruct the Assessors to revalue the taxable property in the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to make repairs in the Almshouse and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 17. To see if the town will instruct the Trustees to make repairs on Stetson Hall building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 18. To see what action the town will take in relation to repairs on the Turner Free Library building, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on High street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Michael Ford and others.

Article 20. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year, and fix the sum he is authorized to borrow.

Article 21. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys for the town, to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be in any manner

interested, as a party or otherwise, except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 22. To see if the town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys for the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested, as a party or otherwise, so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the water of Great Pond, or in the construction of the water works, either jointly or separately, as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885, and to employ counsel if necessary.

Article 23. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Article 24. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor and appropriate money therefor.

Article 25. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special officer or officers to enforce the law, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officer.

Article 26. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take for the suppression of the gypsy and brown-tail moths as recommended by the State Forester and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 28. To see if the town will authorize the collector

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of taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1910.

Article 29. To see if the town will authorize the collector of taxes to use the same means which a town treasurer may use when acting as collector.

Article 30. To see what action the town will take in relation to the care of the clock in the spire of the Congregational Church, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 31. To see if the town will instruct the Trustees to provide settees and chairs for Stetson Hall and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 32. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, and by publishing the same in the "Randolph Register and Holbrook News," a newspaper published at said Randolph.

Hereof, fail not, but make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this fourteenth day of February, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and ten.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
OTIS L. SOULE,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.

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1910

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1911

Seventy-Fifth Annual Report

OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, School
Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department,
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health,
Town Clerk and Town Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School
Fund, the Trustees of the Turner Free Library
and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1910

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1910-1911

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN JOHN E. McDONALD CHARLES H. THAYER

Assessors

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN		Term expires 1911.
CHARLES H. THAYER		Term expires 1912.
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1913.

Town Clerk and Treasurer

JOSEPH T. LEAHY.

School Committee

EDWARD LONG		Term expires 1911.
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1912.
REDMOND P. BARRETT		Term expires 1913.

Water Commissioners

RICHARD F. FORREST		Term expires 1911.
WILLIAM F. BARRETT		Term expires 1912.
DANIEL B. WHITE		Term expires 1913.

Auditors

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN K. WILLARD, JOHN B. WREN.

Constables

FRANK W. HARRIS,	P. JOSEPH RILEY,	JOSEPH H. FOSTER,
LINCOLN STETSON,	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN,	JOHN HANEY,
	FRANK J. DONAHOE.	

Tax Collector

EDWARD LONG.

Registrars of Voters

JOHN H. FIELD, JOSEPH T. LEAHY, EDMUND K. BELCHER, JAMES FARDY.

Fence Viewers

WILLIAM MAHADY, JOHN LYONS, A. F. BICKFORD.

Engineers of Fire Department

JAMES E. BLANCHE, MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, GEORGE A. ROEL, Clerk.

Warden of Almshouse

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN.

Keeper of Lockup

BERNARD MOORE.

Representative to General Court

JEREMIAH O'LEARY of Sharon.

MAY 14 1963

Report of the Assessors

The Assessors herewith submit their report for the year 1910.

VALUATION

	1909	1910	Gain
Real Estate.....	\$1,716,800 00	\$1,887,950 00	\$171,150 00
Personal	349,400 00	419,450 00	70,050 00
	\$2,066,200 00	\$2,307,400 00	\$241,200 00
Value of buildings			\$1,285,100 00
Value of land			602,850 00
Value of personal property.....			419,450 00
			\$2,307,400 00
Town tax			\$52,343 83
State tax			3,465 00
State highway tax			69 00
County tax			1,748 61
Overlay for abatement of taxes			199 37
			\$57,825 81

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Estimated bank tax	\$1,571 00	
Estimated corporation tax.....	2,664 00	
1067 polls	2,134 00	
		\$6,369 00
Amount to be raised on property ...		\$51,456 81
Tax rate \$22.30		
Tax on real estate		\$42,103 07
Tax on personal.....		9,353 74
1067 polls		2,134 00
Amount committed to collector		\$53,590 81

ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS

14 polls		\$28 00
Old Colony Street Railway Company		1,466 61
Bristol and Norfolk Street Railway Company..		61 88
Tax on real estate		13 38
Tax on personal estate		272 06
Total amount committed to collector		\$55,432 74
Residents taxed on property	716	
All others	104	
Non-residents taxed on property	194	
All others	19	
On polls only	668	
		1,701

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Number of horses assessed	222
Number of cows	229
Number of swine	159
Number of neat cattle	3
Number of fowl	2,200
Number of dwellings	935
Acres of land	5,463

ESTIMATED VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Almshouse property and farm	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus	5,500 00
One Babcock extinguisher and apparatus	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup	4,200 00
Land, "Clark Estate"	1,200 00
Highway plant	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land So. Main St.	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land School St.	6,000 00
Schoolhouse and land Chestnut St.	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land Belcher St.	9,250 00
Land North St.	200 00
Schoolhouse and land Lafayette St.	1,600 00
Prescott Schoolhouse and land Ward and School Sts.	17,000 00
Turner High School fund for medals	1,000 00
Stetson High School fund	19,300 00
Turner Free Library building and land	40,000 00
Turner Free Library	20,000 00
Turner fund (Library)	10,000 00

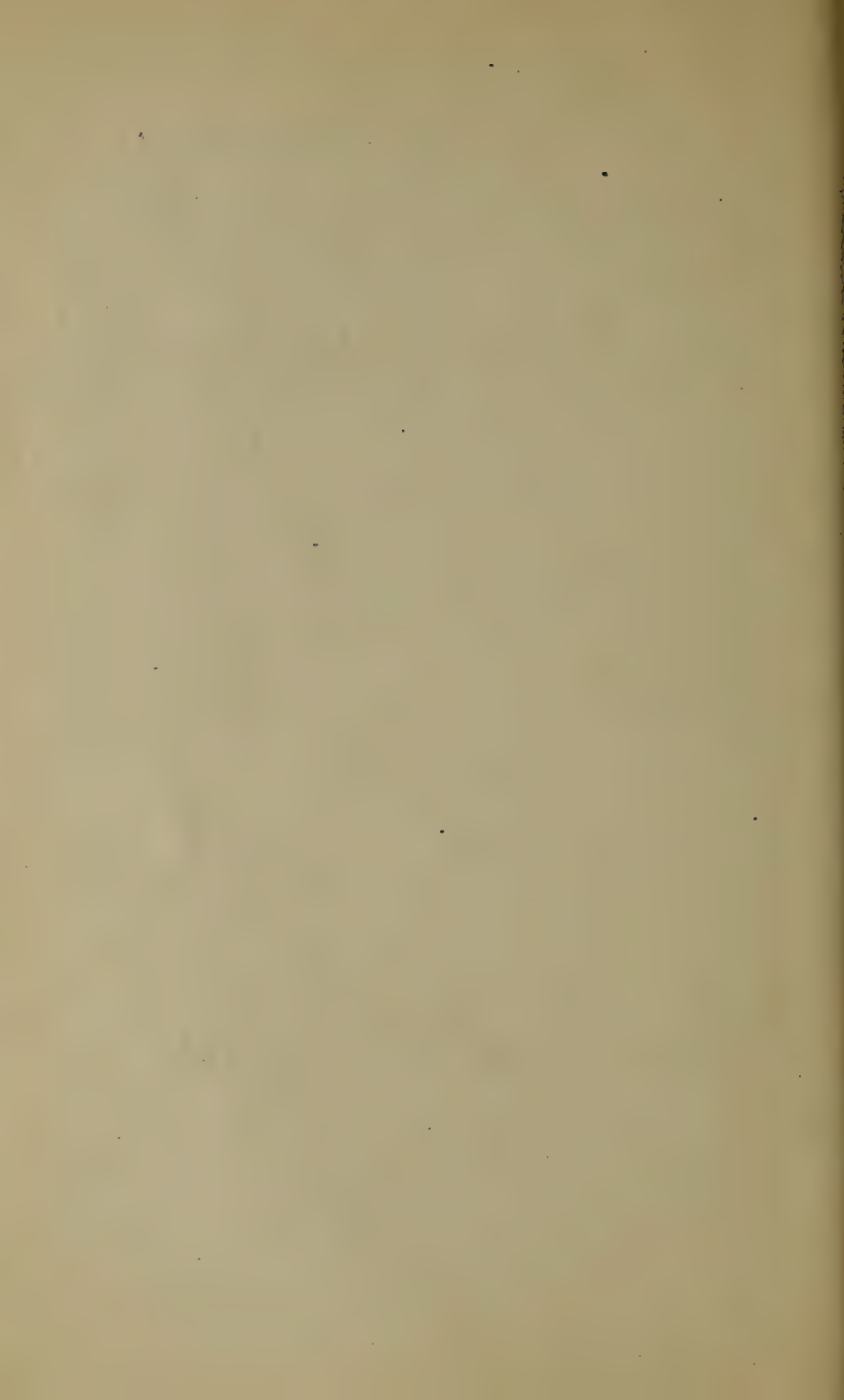
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Royal W. Turner Free Library fund	\$20,000 00
Coddington fund	1,900 00
E. Fanny Belcher lot	1,000 00
Stetson High School	32,000 00
Water Works	164,000 00
	\$393,750 00

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	Appropriation	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Schools, including Stetson High	\$15,150 00	\$2,019 47	\$17,169 47	\$16,827 89		\$341 58
Miscellaneous	1,800 00	.....	1,800 00	1,506 89	.....	293 11
Almshouse	2,000 00	837 63	2,837 63	3,128 80	\$291 17	.....
Poor out of almshouse	3,000 00	28 61	3,028 61	2,733 26	.....	295 35
Poor of Randolph and Holbrook	150 00	141 70	291 70	425 11	133 41	.....
Poor of other towns .....	.....	.....	.....	904 17	.....	.....
Soldier's relief	300 00	40 00	340 00	268 14	.....	71 86
Highways and removal of snow	3,500 00	3,283 39	6,783 39	6,132 83	.....	650 56
State paupers .....	.....	.....	.....	16 00	.....	.....
Pay of physicians	250 00	.....	250 00	241 00	.....	9 00
Military aid	150 00	388 00	538 00	636 00	98 00	.....
State aid .....	.....	.....	.....	4,266 00	.....	.....
Burial of indigent soldiers .....	.....	.....	.....	148 00	.....	.....
Decoration of soldiers' graves	150 00	.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....
Street lighting	3,654 00	.....	3,654 00	3,663 64	9 54	.....
Treasurer's Bond	120 00	.....	120 00	120 00	.....	.....
Tax Collector's Bond	40 00	.....	40 00	40 00	.....	.....
Lockup	150 00	.....	150 00	139 90	.....	10 10
Special Police	700 00	.....	700 00	718 85	18 85	.....
Grading High School	500 00	.....	500 00	172 74	.....	327 26
Water sinking fund	2,500 00	.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
State tax	3,465 00	.....	3,465 00	3,465 00	.....	.....
State highway tax	69 00	.....	69 00	69 00	.....	.....
County tax	1,748 61	.....	1,748 61	1,748 61	.....	.....
Abatement of taxes .....	.....	*199 37	199 37	949 70	750 33	.....
Town debt	4,130 00	.....	4,130 00	4,130 00	.....	.....
Engineers Fire Department	2,326 00	.....	2,326 00	2,893 74	567 74	.....
Gipsy moth	800 00	.....	800 00	810 74	10 74	.....
Tree Warden	500 00	.....	500 00	430 93	.....	69 07
Tax deed .....	.....	.....	.....	7 44	7 44	.....
Turner Free Library	100 00	.....	100 00	100 00	.....	.....
Births, marriages and deaths	150 00	282 88	432 88	193 52	.....	239 36
Board of Health	125 00	.....	125 00	206 40	81 40	.....
Interest	3,000 00	1,490 30	4,490 30	4,626 85	136 55	.....
Care of clocks	20 00	.....	20 00	.....	.....	.....
Insurance	200 00	.....	200 00	178 01	.....	21 99
Sidewalk, Warren Street	200 00	.....	200 00	249 60	49 60	.....
Street watering	500 00	.....	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Town officers	2,200 00	50 00	2,250 00	2,249 70	.....	30
Revaluation	150 00	.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....
Overdraft, 1909	3,828 83	.....	3,828 83	.....	.....	.....
Unexpended	\$57,626 44	\$8,761 35	\$66,387 79	\$67,698 46	\$2,154 77 174 77	\$2,329 54

*Overlay of taxes.



Report of Selectmen

The Selectmen herewith submit the report of their doings for the year ending December 31, 1910.

HIGHWAYS

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun according to the usual custom, by cleaning the gutters as soon as the ground would permit in the spring, after which, graveling and other repairs were done on the various streets as follows: Union street, 428 loads gravel, cleaned bridge under street; laid 50 feet drain pipe on Union street; South street, 86 loads gravel, setting curbing, cleaned ditch; South Main street, 130 loads gravel, repaired sidewalk; Depot street, 751 loads gravel and ashes, and resetting the curbing; North Main street, 416 loads gravel, 4 loads stone, built 2,287 feet stone-crushed road, using 618 1-20 tons stone; Ward street, 13 loads gravel; North street, 549 loads gravel, and repaired stone wall at R. A. Thayer, also repaired catch-basin; Orchard street, 45 loads gravel; Fowler street, blew large rock and removed same; West street, 77 loads gravel laid 18 feet 8-inch drain

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pipe; Cottage street, 65 loads gravel, laid 130 feet 12-inch drain pipe and dug drain through land of C. A. Wales; Allen street built new platform over gutter; Warren street, cleaned culvert under bridge at Depot; Moulton street, 65 loads gravel; Mill street, 22 loads gravel; Town House yard and sidewalk, 30 loads gravel and resetting curbing outside of sidewalk; filled the cellar of the late Matthew Clark estate; took 250 loads gravel, cleaned all catch-basins; mowed the grass and cut the brush on all streets that needed; paid snow bills of 1909-1910, \$640.00; bought one new and repaired old snow plow; crushed 839 tons stone; paid overdraft of \$49.60 for sidewalk on Warren street at Depot yard; repaired fences on various streets; bought new grates and valves for steam roller; had to put in new gauge cocks on the engine of the crusher; also new jaws for the crusher; the crusher plant is in good order.

JAMES E. BLANCHE,
Superintendent of Streets.

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GENERAL REPAIRS

Paid	James E. Blanche, Superintendent	\$585 50
	John Sheehan, labor	417 25
	Nicholas Linnehan, labor	268 50
	Thomas Duff, labor	274 50
	James Barry, labor	313 50
	Town teams, labor	458 44
	John B. McNeill, labor	48 28
	William Deer, labor	31 00
	John Purcell, labor	27 00
	Adam F. Jones, labor	1 00
	Michael Good, labor	349 25
	Randolph Cash Store, supplies	20
	George W. Bailey, supplies	6 53
	William Hogan, labor	24 00
	Thomas Deneil, labor	32 00
	Michael Crowley, labor	24 00
	Michael J. O'Connell, labor	39 00
	John Harris, labor	34 00
	John Carr, labor	62 50
	Michael Whalin, labor	12 00
	Thomas Devine, labor	32 00
	Michael Devine, labor	24 00
	Thomas Mullins, labor	24 00
	James Blythe, labor	24 00
	Eben Holbrook, labor	23 00
	Richard Harris, labor	22 00
	R. B. Newcomb, labor	30 00
	Andrew Tracey, labor	22 00

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Paid William Heney, labor	\$19 00
W. D. Hatchfield, labor	20 00
M. E. Leahy, teams and labor	318 17
W. H. Johnson, labor	67 00
Morton Holbrook, labor	8 00
Charles Perry, labor	38 00
John Wilkinson, labor	24 00
Patrick Murphy, labor	14 00
Martin Holbrook, labor	61 00
Cornelius Good, labor	25 00
James M. Dyer, team and labor	13 25
F. Bacigalupo, labor	1 50
Charles Fish, labor	196 50
James P. Walsh, labor	76 00
William F. Barrett, labor	66 00
A. and D. Nelson, team and labor	20 00
H. L. Paul, team and labor	130 77
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	1 67
William Crossley, supplies	50
James Devine, team and labor	66 50
James Carroll, team and labor	42 00
John Meaney, team and labor	97 12
James Riley, team and labor	52 50
H. J. Mann, stone	90 93
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies	23 75
Walworth Manufacturing Co., supplies	1 05
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	81 48
James M. Jones, labor	14 00
A. F. Bickford, labor	26 00

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Paid Wesley C. Poole, labor	\$12 00
F. O. Evans, stone	68 45
Kelley Springfield Roller Co., supplies	9 00
Universal Road Machine Co., supplies	65 00
A. Bolin, stone	17 56
D. T. Clark, labor	2 50
Frank Colombo, labor	15 97
F. W. Harris, expressing	3 47
J. H. Clark, labor	2 00
George A. Roel, supplies	1 00
Charles H. Cole, labor	5 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	69
Libro A. Saas, stone	13 20
George F. Taylor, labor	4 70
E. J. McMahon, labor	17 00
Richard Forrest, labor	7 50
John F. Gill, labor	7 00
David Good, stone	2 70
Charles F. Doonan, stone	18 15
Frank Woodman, labor	8 00
Edward Donahoe, labor	6 00
George Averell, labor	6 00
H. C. Fruelson, labor	5 00
James Riley, stone	62 44
City of Quincy, boundary stone	9 76
W. L. Pulson, labor	17 64
H. E. Holbrook, gravel	52 08
Mrs. H. B. Alden, gravel	5 81
Isaac Mann, gravel	45 01

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Paid John J. Collins, stone	\$11 38
Messer Bros., labor	92 38
James Fardy, labor	9 64
H. F. Libby, labor	6 90
A. Lizzie Mann, rent of land	20 00
	\$5,436 07

REMOVING SNOW

Paid James Keenen, labor	\$ 3 00
A. F. Bickford and others, labor	103 50
William H. Carroll and others, labor	124 25
F. E. Stetson and others, labor	85 28
T. J. Kenney, labor	1 25
M. E. Leahy and others, labor	81 25
H. L. Paul and others, labor	96 15
James Devine and others, labor	127 50
F. E. Knight and others, labor	54 75
John Sheehan, labor	6 00
J. M. Dyer, labor	13 83
	\$696 76

SUMMARY

For general repairs	\$5,436 07
Removing snow	696 76
	\$6,132 83

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Credit

Town appropriation	\$3,500 00
Henry L. Thomas, use of steam roller	24 00
Old Colony Street Railway Co., use of steam roller	264 75
Old Colony Street Railway Co., removing snow ..	192 75
Old Colony Street Railway Co., excise tax	1416 51
Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway Co., excise tax ..	61 88
Street Railway tax	1,316 04
P. J. Riley, stone	7 50
	\$6,783 43
Unexpended	\$650 60

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid Register Publishing Co., printing	\$440 90
Joseph T. Leahy, cash paid	64 90
Edson N. Roel, labor and supplies	12 06
Peter J. McGrath, sealing milk jars	2 00
Walter L. Hickey, printing	65 15
James E. Blanche, team	3 00
Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co., Selectmen's office	46 85
Bernard Moore, care of Hall and Selectmen's office	93 75
P. Joseph Riley, police duty 1909, 1910	15 00
Dexter T. Clark	6 50
M. H. Johnson, dinners	23 60
John Haney, police duty and expense	9 75
Thomas J. Smith, ballot clerk	3 00

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Paid J. W. O'Mahoney, ballot clerk	\$ 8 00
M. M. Sullivan, distributing town reports..	10 00
John F. Gill, election officer	10 00
Frank H. Tileston, teller	3 00
George A. Roel, teller	6 00
Dennis F. Mahoney, election officer	8 00
Richard Harris, election officer	5 00
Frank N. Condon, teller	3 00
Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerk	6 00
John N. Shipman, teller	6 00
George H. Dixon, teller	3 00
Herman Shaw, ballot clerk	6 00
Peter Quinn, teller	3 00
J. F. Dennehy, teller	3 00
James J. Shea, teller	3 00
A. Forrest, teller	3 00
Edwin M. Mann, wood for Selectmen's office	30 00
G. A. R., on order of moderator	25 00
N. E. Telephone and Telegraph Co.	63 65
M. F. Sullivan, police duty and serving warrants	54 50
Adams, Cushing & Foster, stationery	12 25
Daniel P. Lyons, teller and ballot clerk	6 00
Beni F. Hayden, teller	6 00
Hugh Currie	3 00
J. B. Arnold, carpet	6 00
C. F. Lyons, supplies	10 77
F. W. Harris, police duty and expressing...	42 85
Estate C. H. Nichols, expressing	15 57

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Paid Hobbs & Warren, stationery.....	\$ 7 24
P. B. Murphy, printing.....	25 85
C. H. Thayer, cash paid.....	15 50
E. L. Burdakin, record of transfers.....	20 00
J. R. McCoolle, record of probate.....	15 00
William O'Halloran, police duty.....	7 50
Library Bureau, assessors' cards.....	8 40
Joseph H. Foster, police duty.....	7 50
William Mahady, police duty.....	7 50
Frank H. Jaquith, teller.....	6 00
P. H. McLaughlin, cash paid.....	13 30
H. M. Goodale, damage.....	3 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor Selectmen's office....	24 67
F. J. Donohoe, police duty.....	9 50
First National Bank, certifying notes.....	35 00
John P. Rooney, police duty.....	13 50
Winthrop B. Atherton, teller.....	6 00
William J. Good, professional services.....	20 00
M. F. Cunningham, auditing tax collector book.....	15 00
John B. Wren, auditing tax collector book.	10 00
E. W. Campagna, labor on voting booths..	3 50
Wakefield Daily Item, printing.....	2 25
W. and L. E. Gurley, "sealer's" supplies...	30 71
Frank Connor, dinners.....	17 75
John J. Madigan, teller.....	3 00
James J. Hurley, teller.....	3 00
Percy Thomson, teller.....	3 00
George V. Kelleher, teller.....	3 00

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Paid Fred M. French, election officer.....	\$ 3 00
Arthur W. Alden.....	10 50
E. L. McAuliffe, tax sale.....	7 42
The Carter Ink Co.....	1 25
	\$1,506 89

Appropriation	\$1,800 00
Unexpended	293 11

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	\$250 00
John E. McDonald.....	200 00
Charles H. Thayer.....	200 00

Assessors

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin.....	\$200 00
John E. McDonald.....	150 00
Jeremiah J. Desmond.....	150 00

Town Treasurer

Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$300 00
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Auditors

Paid Michael F. Cunningham	\$20 00
John B. Wren	20 00
John K. Willard	20 00

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Registrars of Voters

Paid John H. Field	\$50 00
Edmund K. Belcher	50 00
James Fardy	50 00
Joseph T. Leahy	75 00

Engineers of Fire Department

Paid Charles A. Wales	\$20 00
James E. Blanche	20 00
George A. Roel	20 00
Michael F. Sullivan	20 00
William A. Croak	30 00

Inspector of Animals

*Paid Charles H. Cole	\$100 00
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Collector of Taxes

Paid Edward Long for 1910	\$225 00
Arthur W. Alden for 1907	79 70

\$2,249 70

Appropriation \$2,200 00

*Refunded by State 50 00

2,250 00

Unexpended 30

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REVALUATION

Paid Assessors	\$150 00
Appropriation	\$150 00

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS AND COURT FEES

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, recording.....	\$65 65
John B. Wren, census of births.....	15 00
F. W. Vye, court fees.....	15 86
John Haney, court expenses.....	22 12
E. Lawrence Payne, court fees.....	14 21
W. M. Marden, court fees.....	2 35
Henry Hathorn, court fees	8 58
A. L. Chase, M.D., returning births	2 25
A. W. Myricks, M.D., returning births.....	3 50
George V. Higgins, M.D., returning births..	3 50
F. C. Granger, M.D., returning births	8 00
John B. Wren, returning deaths.....	10 50
Cartwright and Hurley, returning deaths...	22 00
	\$193 52

Appropriation	\$150 00
Credits	282 88
Unexpended	239 36

BOARD OF HEALTH

Paid A. F. Bickford, burial of horse.....	\$ 5 00
C. H. Truelson, burial of horse.....	10 00

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Paid George E. Canaway, burial of horse	\$ 5 00
D. P. McCarthy, burial of dog	1 00
Peter Gray & Son, culture tube	2 00
Geo. E. Bolling, examination of cultures	4 00
F. W. Harris, expressing	40
National Chemical Co., supplies	15 00
Cartwright & Hurley, fumigating	90 00
John B. Wren, fumigating	14 00
P. H. McLaughlin, services	20 00
J. E. McDonald, services	20 00
C. H. Thayer, services	20 00
	\$206 40

Appropriation	\$125 00
Overdrawn	81 40

INTEREST

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, treasurer	\$4,626 85
Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Credits	1,490 30
Overdrawn	136 55

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid Engineers of Fire Department	\$2,893 74
Appropriation	\$2,326 00
Overdrawn	567 74

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GYPSY MOTHS

Paid James E. Blanche and others, labor.....	\$801 28
Collins Hardware Co.	5 75
A. F. Bickford, cement	2 00
Adams Express	70
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	1 01
	\$810 74
Appropriation	\$800 00
Overdrawn	10 74

TREE WARDEN

Paid James E. Blanche and others, labor.....	\$381 00
Grasselli Chemical Co.	48 00
Adams Express	48
Randall's Express	1 20
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.....	25
	\$430 93
Appropriation	\$500 00
Unexpended	69 07

TAX DEED

Paid for Kendrick & Abbott	\$7 44
No appropriation.	

TURNER FREE LIBRARY

Paid Treasurer	\$100 00
Appropriation	\$100 00

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STREET LIGHTING

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co...	\$3,663 64
Appropriation	\$3,600 00
Appropriation	54 00
	\$3,654 00
Overdrawn	9 64

TREASURER'S BOND

Paid American Surety Co.	\$120 00
Appropriation	\$120 00

TAX COLLECTOR'S BOND

Paid O'Neil & Parker	\$40 00
Appropriation	\$40 00

LOCKUP

Paid Bernard Moore, salary	\$100 00
Bernard Moore, supplies	22 75
Randolph Coal Co., coal	7 75
M. E. Leahy, coal	7 75
John Haney, supplies	50
George A. Roel, supplies	85
P. H. McLaughlin, supplies	30
	\$139 90

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Appropriation	\$150 00
Unexpended	10 10

SPECIAL POLICE

Paid John Haney	\$718 85
Appropriation	\$700 00
Overdrawn	18 85

GRADING STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Paid H. L. Paul	\$172 74
Appropriation	\$500 00
Unexpended	327 26

SCHOOLS

Paid sundry accounts	\$16,827 89
(See report of School Committee)	
Appropriation	\$15,150 00
Credits	2,019 47
Unexpended	341 68

WATER SINKING FUND

Paid Water Commissioners	\$2,500 00
Appropriation	\$2,500 00

STATE TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$3,465 00
Appropriation	\$3,465 00

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STATE HIGHWAY TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$69 00
Appropriation	\$69 00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Henry D. Humphrey, Treasurer	\$1,748 61
Appropriation	\$1,748 61

ABATEMENTS

Paid Arthur W. Alden, collector of taxes 1907...	\$949 70
Appropriation overlay of taxes	\$199 37
Overdrawn	750 33

TOWN DEBT

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer.....	\$4,130 00
Appropriation	\$4,130 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Paid sundry persons.....	\$268 14
Appropriation	\$300 00
Credits	40 00
	\$340 00
Unexpended	71 86

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MILITARY AID

Paid sundry persons.....	\$636 00
Appropriation	\$150 00
To be refunded by State	318 00
To be refunded by Holbrook	70 00
Overdrawn	98 00

STATE AID

Paid sundry persons.....	\$4,266 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

SOLDIERS' RELIEF WHOSE MILITARY SETTLEMENT IS IN RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK

Paid sundry persons.....	\$425 11
Appropriation	\$150 00
To be refunded by Holbrook	141 70
Overdrawn	133 41

BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS

Paid for burial of sundry persons	\$148 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Paid Horace Niles Post 110 G. A. R.	\$150 00
Appropriation	\$150 00

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INSURANCE

Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$69 17
Herbert W. Pratt	50 94
Fred M. French.....	57 90
	\$178 01

Appropriation	\$200 00
Unexpended	21 99

SIDEWALK WARREN STREET

Paid Frank Lorrie	\$249 60
Appropriation	\$200 00
Overdrawn	49 60

STREET WATERING

Paid Timothy Lyons	\$500 00
Appropriation	\$500 00

Report of the Overseers of the Poor

The Overseers of the Poor herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1910.

At the Almshouse certain repairs should be made, as recommended by the State Inspector of Institutions, the most important of which is to place new floors in the bed rooms and hall. We would recommend an appropriation of \$300.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sullivan continue as warden and matron, and as in the past years give good satisfaction, and leave nothing to be desired by the Overseers. The house is in good order and the inmates are well taken care of.

Whole number of inmates during the year.....	27
Number discharged	8
Committed to Asylum	1
Number of deaths	4
Present number	14
Net expense	\$2,305 72
Number of inmate weeks.....	913
Cost per week	\$2 52+

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ALMSHOUSE

Paid M. M. Sullivan, salary	\$499 98
M. M. Sullivan, supplies	8 00
Walter M. Howard, fish.....	37 94
T. J. Cummings, fish	47 54
N. E. Buck, grain	115 55
William P. Sullivan, groceries	5 50
F. W. Hayden & Co., groceries	149 09
F. C. Jaquith, groceries	21 62
C. Fred Lyons, groceries	161 89
Eugene Thayer, groceries	126 31
Randolph Cash Store, groceries	249 09
H. F. Reynolds, groceries	70 87
John B. Mahoney, groceries	60 02
F. Diauto, coal and grain	234 94
George H. Eddy, provisions	187 40
R. J. McAuliffe, provisions	178 61
C. D. Hill, groceries	150 95
P. H. McLaughlin, dry-goods	102 78
Flagg & Willis, beds and bedding.....	52 00
Miley Soap Co., soap	16 25
Randolph Coal Co., coal	8 50
M. E. Leahy, coal	183 46
Kimball, Harrington & Co.....	1 75
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.....	32 20
J. B. McNeill, labor and stock.....	30 84
R. E. O'Brien, labor and stock.....	38 31
James Fardy, labor and stock.....	38 04
George F. Taylor, labor and stock.....	66 92

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Paid R. & H. Electric Light Co.....	\$ 60
W. H. Richardson.....	3 00
Randolph Clothing Co.....	73 25
F. J. Bellingham.....	2 00
Ames Implement & Seed Co., seeds.....	5 50
James Carroll.....	14 20
J. Buck & Son.....	85
Atwood Paper Co., paper.....	600
Crocker Rubber Co.	3 15
M. J. McGaughey, repairing shoes.....	5 90
William Crossley, newspapers.....	6 00
Dominick Prozone.....	1 25
J. O'Neill.....	5 50
Arthur Hagney, shoes.....	14 25
F. W. Harris, expressing.....	5 75
Cartwright & Hurley, funeral expenses.....	47 00
F. J. McEneley, medicine.....	11 65
John Collins, labor.....	3 00
James E. Blanche.....	11 00
Lee H. Porter, medicine.....	22 60
A. F. Bickford, dressing hogs.....	3 00
R. B. Newcomb, dressing pigs.....	7 00
	\$3,128 80

Dr.

Stock on hand December 31, 1909.....	\$2,713 00
Salaries and supplies, 1910.....	3,128 80
	\$5,841 80

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Stock on hand December 31, 1910	\$2,698 45
Sale of produce	278 19
Labor of town teams	458 44
Board	100 00
Telephone	1 00
Net expense	2,305 72
	\$5,841 80

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
Credits	837 63

\$2,837 63

Overdrawn	291 17
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ALMSHOUSE AND TOWN FARM

Inventory of stock appraised, etc., December 31, 1910:

2 Cows	\$100 00
1 Heifer	25 00
2 Horses	300 00
20 Fowl	20 00
1 Road scraper	75 00
1 Farm wagon	30 00
2 Tip carts	60 00
1 Harness	5 00
2 Sets harness	50 00
1 Swing drag	30 00

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1 Mowing machine	\$ 37 00
1 Hay tedder	20 00
1 Hay rake	23 00
5 Tons hay	100 00
2 Gravel screens	10 00
1 Two horse cart	75 00
1 Set double harness	30 00
1 Two horse sled	40 00
1 Tool chest	5 00
1 Hay cutter	5 00
6 Draught chains	12 00
1 Grindstone	4 00
1 Carriage harness	25 00
6 Snow plows	150 00
Derrick and chains	100 00
1 Sleigh	5 00
Robes and blankets	7 00
1 Lawn mower	7 00
Ladders	8 00
Fence wire	1 00
7 Cords manure	28 00
1 Cultivator	8 00
2 Plows	10 00
1 Harrow	5 00
Forks, shovels hose, iron bars and picks. . .	17 00
1 Stone roller	4 00
1 Wheel-barrow	3 00
2 Axes	1 00
1 Scythe and snath	2 00

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1	Cross cut saw	\$ 1 50
8	Drills	10 00
1	Stone hammer	1 50
14	Empty barrels	1 40
2	Cords wood	12 00
2	Wood saws and horse	3 00
1	Street lamp	5 00
5	Cuspidors	2 50
23	Iron bedsteads	80 00
19	Bed springs	55 00
2	Feather beds	10 00
45	Feather pillows	25 00
50	Pillow slips	10 00
20	Mattresses	58 00
70	Sheets	30 00
68	Blankets	68 00
28	Bedspreads	25 00
55	Towels	5 50
5	Table cloths	5 00
1	Hospital bed	30 00
	Supplies, shirts, stockings and underwear...	15 00
	Lamps and lanterns	4 00
25	Lamp chimneys	1 50
1	Ice chest	40 00
	Wooden ware and tin ware	15 00
4	Tables	4 00
1	Walnut table	3 00
1	Extension table	8 00
9	Rocking chairs	9 00

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50 Chairs	\$ 15 00
1 Wool carpet	25 00
Brooms and Brushes.....	2 00
2 Feather dusters	3 00
1 Carpet sweeper	2 50
3 Clothes wringers	12 50
Coal hods and shovels	2 00
1 Fire extinguisher	18 00
12 Dry fire extinguishers	20 00
175 Feet hose	19 00
Oats, corn and meal	10 00
1 Bread mixer	2 50
3 Hose hangers	75
1 Steel door mat	2 00
Range and boiler	50 00
1 Peck measure	50
Baskets	1 50
1 Tobacco cutter	1 00
Bitstock and bits.....	3 50
2 Hand saws and planes.....	3 00
17 Tons coal	119 00
7 Franklin coal	56 00
Vegetables	80 00
1 Barrel flour.....	7 00
265 Pounds pork.....	45 30
60 Pounds lard	9 00
50 Pounds butter	15 00
130 Pounds sugar	6 50
25 Pounds tea	12 50

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5 Pounds coffee	\$ 1 25
10 Pounds tobacco	4 50
40 Gallons oil	4 00
1 Kerosene tank	10 00
100 Preserve jars	10 00
70 Quarts preserves	7 00
50 Pounds beans	2 50
1 Barrel crackers	2 50
4 Screen doors	5 00
2 Storm doors	5 00
25 Window screens	15 00
2 Wash boilers	5 00
25 Bars soap	1 25
1 Oil stove	1 00
2 Clocks	3 00
2 Mirrors	2 00
Crockery ware	40 00
1 Washing machine	10 00
40 Gallons molasses	16 00
4 Soapstone tubs	35 00
	\$2,698 45

POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE

Paid sundry persons.....	\$2,733 26
Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Credits	28 61
	\$3,028 61
Unexpended	295 35

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POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

Paid sundry persons.....	\$904 17
No appropriation.	
To be refunded.	

STATE PAUPER

Paid for aid rendered	\$16 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

PAY OF PHYSICIANS

Paid C. C. Farnham, M.D.	\$41 00
A. W. Myrick, M.D.	50 00
A. L. Chase, M.D.	50 00
Geo. V. Higgins, M.D.	50 00
F. C. Granger, M.D.	50 00

\$241 00

Appropriation	\$250 00
Unexpended	9 00

CASH RECEIVED BY THE SELECTMEN

Sale of produce.....	\$278 19
Labor of town teams.....	458 44
Aid refunded	68 61
Board	100 00
Telephone	1 00

\$906 24

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

RANDOLPH, February 3, 1911.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

Estimates of Expenses for 1911

Schools	\$15,944 00
Miscellaneous	1,600 00
Almshouse	2,200 00
Poor out of Almshouse	2,700 00
Poor of Randolph and Holbrook	300 00
Soldiers' relief	300 00
Highways	3,500 00
Pay of physicians	250 00
Military Aid	250 00
Decoration of soldiers' graves	150 00
Street lighting	3,600 00
Treasurer's bond	120 00
Tax collector's bond	40 00
Lockup	150 00
Special police	700 00
Water loan fund	2,500 00
Abatement of taxes	500 00
Town debt	4,500 00
Fire Department	2,788 00
Gypsy moth	900 00
Tree warden	300 00
Board of Health	200 00

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Births, marriages and deaths	\$ 150 00
Interest	3,000 00
Insurance	400 00
Street watering	500 00
Town officers	2,200 00
	\$49,742 00

List of Jurors

Beal, Ira E., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Shoeworker
Bolin, August, South Main St.....	Farmer
Bradley, Henry J., Ward St.....	Shoeworker
Bromade, Edward H., Allen St	Shoeworker
Casey, Peter, Pleasant St.....	Laster
Clark, James B., Orchard St.....	Shoeworker
Cottle, Edmund, North Main St.....	Retired
Dowd, James, North St.....	Shoeworker
Desmond, Jeremiah J., Pleasant St.....	Bookkeeper
French, Fred M., North Main St.....	Insurance
Faunce, Hiram S., West St.....	Janitor
Flaherty, Edward, Silver St.....	Laster
Gill, John F., Ward St.....	Shoeworker
Good, Cornelius, North St.....	Laborer
Holbrook, Arthur H., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Carpenter
Holmes, Albert, Roel St.....	Retired
Hagar, Clarence L., West St.....	Florist
Huff, George S., North St.....	Shoe Cutter
Hill, Charles D., West St.....	Real Estate
Hadley, Elbridge J., North Main St.....	Retired
Jones, Herbert A., North St.....	Shoeworker
Kiley, Patrick M., South St.....	Shoeworker

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Lyons, Walter H., North Main St.....	Agent
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.....	Salesman
Long, James F., Cottage St	Shoeworker
Leavitt, William H., North Main St.....	Bookkeeper
Luddington, John R., Union St.....	Shoeworker
Makepeace, Edgar B., South Main St.....	Conductor
Mann, Edwin M., North Main St.....	Wood Dealer
Mahady, William, North St.....	Janitor
Mann, Rufus E., Pleasant St.....	Laborer
Mann, Walter A., West St.....	Florist
Mahoney, Dennis F., West St.....	Retired
Marcille, John C., Centre St.....	Laborer
Meighan, Edward B., North St.....	Shoeworker
Moore, Bernard, Howard St.....	Janitor
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel St.....	Newsdealer
McDonald, Joseph, North St.....	Contractor
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.....	Shoeworker
Nelson, David, South Main St.....	Farmer
O'Mahoney, Joseph W., Pleasant St.....	Clerk
Pope, David, Warren St.....	Retired
Reynolds, George A., High St.....	Farmer
Roel, George A., North Main St.....	Electrician
Shaw, Herman, South Main St	Shoeworker
Wales, Charles A., North Main St.....	Retired
Willard, John K., North St.....	Tallow Dealer

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

JOHN E. McDONALD,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

Turner Free Library

Trustees, 1910

JOHN V. BEAL, *President.*

HENRY A. BELCHER, *Vice-President.*

N. IRVING TOLMAN, *Treasurer.*

WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, *Secretary.*

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

JOHN E. McDONALD,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

SELECTMEN OF RANDOLPH, *Ex-Officiis,*

ASA P. FRENCH,

JOHN E. BRADLEY,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON,

FRANK C. GRANGER,

HERBERT W. PRATT,

MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH,

MRS. CLARA A. WALES,

MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE.

Librarian,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM.

Assistant Librarian.

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER.

Public Library

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-fourth annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees, as seem of general interest.

The Library Committee (consisting of Mr. John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach, Mrs. Clara A. Wales, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree and Mr. John E. Bradley) with the assistance of the Librarian, have found the books, charts and furnishings in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Committee on Building (consisting of Messrs. Henry A. Belcher, Winthrop B. Atherton, Patrick H. McLaughlin, N. Irving Tolman and John E. McDonald) through its chairman, report that the building is now in good repair, but suggest that the movable book cases in the library hall be re-arranged so as to yield space for additional cases and afford greater convenience to the librarians in the performance of their duties. For this purpose the committee recom-

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mend that the town, at its next annual meeting, raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

The Committee on Finance (consisting of Messrs. Asa P. French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Herbert W. Pratt and Charles H. Thayer) reports as follows:

RANDOLPH, MASS., January 2, 1911.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The committee, through its chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1910, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for, and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The committee has also examined the securities representing the investment of the library funds, and has found them intact and as shown by the schedule contained in the Treasurer's report. The only change in these securities during the year was the re-investment of \$10,000 Wayne County bonds which matured May 1st, 1910. With the amount so realized there was purchased by vote of the trustees,—\$5,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 4s, and \$5,000 New York Telephone Co. 4½s. The balance \$625 was deposited to the account of the trustees in the Randolph Savings Bank.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

The report of the Librarian statistically showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various depart-

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ments of the library, with interesting remarks thereon, and the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the library, are hereto subjoined.

The withdrawal of Mrs. Clara A. Wales from the Board of Trustees, who tendered her resignation on December 19th last, caused much regret to the remaining members of the Board. As a member of the Library Committee she was always present when her health permitted, and active in the duties assigned to her.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 2, 1911.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Library:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In presenting for your consideration this my thirty-fourth annual report, it gives me pleasure to direct your attention to the record of the past year, because of a most excellent circulation, attained as I believe by a careful and intelligent effort on the part of all library officials, so that evidence is furnished of creditable and substantial service rendered.

The Public Library of today occupies a unique and important place in the American Educational System, and if it prove of worthy service to the public must keep always in view two primary and specific objects.

First, it must provide instruction in every department of interest to investigators; and

Second, it must supply satisfactory entertainment, even though it may sometimes seem to supplant the study of works of more permanent value.

From the establishment of this library until the present time, these ideas have directed very largely the selection of books, and while the entertainment of the people has been in view, the purpose of instruction has been so carefully considered that our reference department has been steadily and creditably improved; the increasing use of the library by the public is indicative of fair satisfaction and appreciation.

Art Department

The Library has received from the Massachusetts Art Club eleven exhibits: Naples, Numbers one and two; Hiawatha;

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Mythology; Shakespeare; Historic dress; Historical Virginia; Japan; Dutch Art; Famous pictures; Children's story pictures; these copies of the great masters are worthy of careful study.

Circulating Department

During the year the Library has been open to the public 274 days, and in that time 25,852 books have been issued for home use; a daily average of 93.

Our largest daily circulation was on December 31, when 372 were issued.

Our smallest daily circulation was on January 14, when 10 were issued.

Our largest monthly circulation was in January, when 2,748 were issued.

Our smallest monthly circulation was in August (9 days), when 665 were issued.

Accession Department

The number of volumes, December 31, 1909, was 22,277

The number of volumes, December 31, 1910, is 22,870

Of these volumes there were acquired by purchase 387

“ “ “ “ “ “ “ donation . . . 12

“ “ “ “ “ “ “ from Government . . . 152

“ “ “ “ “ “ “ magazines bound . . . 42

Reading Room

This department is well provided with a suitable and varied literature. The department is most excellent, and the administration by Mr. Restarick quiet and effective. A

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constantly increasing attendance and the evident good purpose of visitors shows a commendable improvement.

The report of the Custodian is represented in the general statistical table. His report shows an annual attendance of 9,654 as compared with 8,180 for 1909, a daily average of 34.

Miss Belcher is still with us and is in every respect a most faithful and helpful assistant.

Fines

The sum of \$45.00 has been collected and paid to the Treasurer for fines incurred during the year.

During the summer vacation, it was made both pleasant and possible for your librarian to visit and personally inspect methods and contents of some of the larger libraries of Europe. These are notably rich in antiques of various kinds, such as ornaments, jewels, coins, and ancient manuscript, all very valuable and wonderfully interesting; but as far as I could judge, these great treasuries are sadly behind the large American libraries in administrative methods.

And now at the close of another successful year, I desire to heartily thank the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Board of Trustees for their unfailing kindness and appreciation.

Respectfully yours,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,
Librarian.

Randolph, December 31, 1910.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF TURNER LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR 1910

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

1909	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total, 1910	Total, 1909	Total, 1908	Total, 1907
Number of days open	25	23	27	25	25	26	13	9	25	24	26	26	274	.....	.....	.....
Total circulation	2,776	2,374	2,655	2,495	2,317	2,300	1,119	665	1,926	2,135	2,721	2,369	25,852	26,298	25,040	22,038
Average daily circulation	111	103	98	100	92	90	86	74	77	89	112	91	93	97+	91+	81—
Date of largest circulation	31st	14th	14th	25th	9th	6th	3d	1st	5th	17th	16th	31st	Dec. 31	.....	.....	.....
Largest circulation	307	315	339	329	336	319	270	214	291	240	280	372	372	496	390	336
Date of smallest circulation	14th	11th	22d	28th	10th	15th	10th	9th	20th	6th	5th	6th	Jan. 14	.....	.....	.....
Smallest circulation	10	30	35	22	31	24	25	37	24	22	12	20	10	15	4	5
Volumes added .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	593	486	561	624
Total volumes in library .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,870	22,277	21,791	21,230
Registered card holders .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,699	.....	.....	.....
Cards detained by fines .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	115	.....	.....	.....
Fines collected .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$45 00	\$32 00	\$44 00	\$47 00
Reading room attendance	864	972	1,005	993	816	600	521	263	770	882	954	1,014	9,654	8,180	4,257	.....
Reading room daily average	35—	42+	37+	40—	33—	23+	21—	29+	31	35+	38+	39	34—	30+		

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,
Librarian.

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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

JANUARY 2, 1911.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the by-laws, I herewith submit my annual report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library.

Receipts

Income Turner Fund	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund	817 96
Rent Randolph Savings Bank.....	300 00
Rent C. Fred Lyons	250 00
Fines and collections.....	45 00
Randolph Savings Bank, fuel, 1909	98 66
Interest Boston Elevated Bonds.....	225 00
Town appropriation repairs	100 00
Wayne County Bonds	10,000 00
Balance January 1, 1910	624 58
	\$12,963 20

Disbursements

Paid for books	\$369 21
Paid for periodicals	93 25
Paid for book binding.....	105 69
Salary of Librarian	600 00
C. C. Farnham, additional compensation for services rendered	100 00

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Assistant Librarian	\$250 00
Janitor.....	150 00
Custodian	100 00
Electric light and lamps	103 00
Supplies.....	14 78
Express	8 95
Library Art Club.....	6 00
Fuel	246 50
Printing.....	4 85
Rent Safe Deposit box	10 00
Rent Post Office box.....	2 40
Repairs	78 78
R. L. Day & Co., New York Telephone Bonds ...	4,834 38
American Telephone & Telegraph Bonds	4,619 31
Deposit Randolph Savings Bank	625 00
Balance December 31, 1910.....	641 10
	\$12,963 20

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	EACH
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy bond of	\$1,000
2 Chicago & West Michigan bonds.....	1,000
1 Old Colony R. R. bond	1,000
1 Western Telephone & Telegraph bond	1,000
1 New York Central & Hudson River R. R. bond .	1,000
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western bonds	500
3 Union Pacific bonds	500
33 Shares of the preferred stock of the Union Pacific R. R.	

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The Royal W. Turner Legacy is invested in:

	EACH
10 Old Colony bonds of	\$1,000
5 American Telephone & Telegraph bonds	1,000
5 New York Telephone bonds	1,000
and \$625 on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank.	

The remaining funds of the Library are represented by
5 Bonds Boston Elevated R. R. of \$1,000 each.

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN,
Treasurer.

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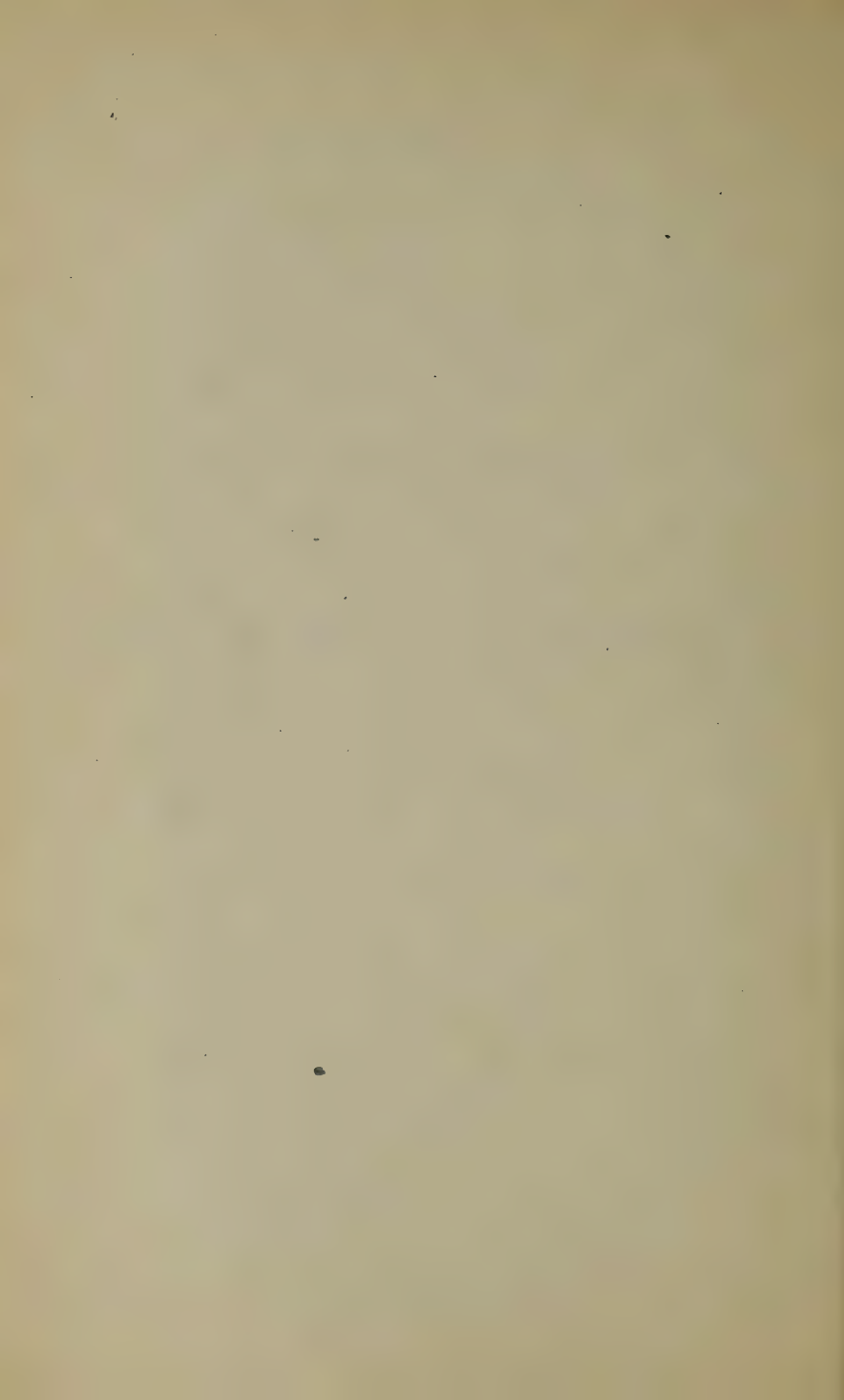
OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR 1910



TOWN OF RANDOLPH

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

EDWARD LONG, *Chairman.*

REDMOND P. BARRETT, *Secretary.*

EDWARD LONG		Term expires 1911
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1912
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Trustees of the Stetson School Fund

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Superintendent of Schools

WATSON C. LEA.

Residence, Holbrook.

Telephone, Randolph 48-1.

Office, School Committee Rooms.

Tuesday, 3 to 4 o'clock P. M.

Regular meeting of the School Committee, last Friday of the month, 7.30 P. M.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1911-1912

Open 2 January, 1911		
Close 31 March	Vacation 2 weeks	13 weeks
Open 17 April		
Close 23 June	Summer vacation 10 weeks	10 weeks
Open 5 September (term begins 4 September)		15 weeks
Close 15 December	Vacation 2 weeks	15 weeks
Open 1 January, 1912		
Close 29 March	Vacation 2 weeks	13 weeks
Open 15 April		
Close 21 June		10 weeks

Legal Holidays in term time: 22 February, 1911; 19 April, 1911; 30 May, 1911; 4 September, 1911; 12 October, 1911; Thanksgiving Day, 1911; 22 February, 1912; 19 April, 1912; 30 May, 1912.

Report of School Committee

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The School Committee make and submit for your consideration their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1910.

The work of the year, as a whole, has been very satisfactory, with the exception of the overcrowded condition prevailing in the North Grammar School.

This year the Committee will ask for an appropriation for a school physician as provided for in Chapter 257, Acts of 1910.

Wherein—"The School Committee of every city and town in the Commonwealth shall appoint one or more school physicians and assign one or more to perform the duty of examining children, who apply for health certificates, in accordance with this act, etc."

For repairs a smaller amount has been expended this year than in other years. Aside from the shingling of the entire roof of the schoolhouse at the West Corners, and a few incidental repairs little else has been spent for this purpose. A balance from this appropriation is unexpended; also from the appropriation for transportation of pupils, there will be an unexpended balance.

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A change was made in the teaching force during the year, Miss May Forest having been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Jessica Powers.

For some years the towns of Randolph and Avon have employed a stenography teacher and divided the expense.

At the close of the school year, we learned that Avon would in the future employ a teacher who would attend wholly to the commercial course of the Avon High School.

The only alternative was to provide a stenography teacher for the Stetson High School, which the Committee did, by retaining the services of Miss Margaret M. Noland, who devotes her entire time to this important course.

Commercial arithmetic and bookkeeping have since been added.

It was found necessary also to engage another assistant, Miss Mary H. Warren, of Fall River, for High School work.

These additions to the corps of teachers will require an increased appropriation.

The school census of 1910 shows the number of children between the ages of five and fifteen years to be 772, a gain of 25 over 1909.

A detailed statement of receipts and expenditures in this department for the year ending December 31, 1910, is annexed to this report.

The Committee ask the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the expenses of the schools for the year ending December 31, 1911.

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For Teaching.....	\$8,419 00
Care of rooms	1,275 00
Fuel	1,200 00
Books and supplies.....	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs .	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils	350 00
Superintendent of Schools	600 00
School Committee.....	300 00
Stetson High School	3,000 00
School Physician	100 00

\$17,544 00

Less estimated revenue from dog tax,	
State School Fund and Coddington	
Fund	\$1,100 00
State, for Superintendent of Schools	300 00
State, for salaries of teachers	200 00
	1,600 00
	\$15,944 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,
R. P. BARRETT,
J. J. DESMOND,
School Committee.

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EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS

For Teaching (38 weeks)

Paid Nelson Freeman	\$1,000 00
Joseph Belcher	1,000 00
Katherine A. Kiley	505 74
Ellen P. Henry	495 25
Hanna F. Hoye	481 24
Katherine E. Sheridan	470 75
Mary E. Wren.....	451 75
Ellen E. McLaughlin	451 75
Fannie A. Campbell	451 75
Kitty R. Molloy	451 75
Sara C. Belcher	451 75
Fannie M. Devine	451 75
Clara A. Tolman	451 75
Katherine J. Riley	451 75
Jessica M. Powers.....	170 00
Mary Forrest	210 00
Mary A. Packard	93 60
Ethel L. Buck	62 40
Rose G. Hand	125 00
F. E. Chapin	110 52
Mary H. Warren.....	41 46
Margaret M. Noland	39 48
	\$8,419 44

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Paid Watson C. Lea	\$600 00
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BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Paid	Ginn & Co.	\$229 69
	American Book Co.	155 13
	J. L. Hammet Co.	151 94
	Houghton, Mifflin Co.	64 30
	L. E. Knott Appr. Co.	59 71
	E. E. Babb & Co.	116 41
	Kenny Bros. & Wolkins.....	131 88
	D. C. Heath.....	32 25
	Underwood Typewriter Co.	109 50
	Allyn & Bacon.....	46 50
	The Laurel Book Co.	19 63
	Chandler Shorthand Pub. Co.	16 50
	Oliver Ditson	29 85
	Smith Premier Typewriter Co.	9 60
	Remington Typewriter Co.	9 60
	McKinley Pub. Co.	5 78
	Hunt Pen Co.	3 00
	DeWolf, Fisk Co.	5 00
	B. H. Sanborn	1 04
	A. Storrs & Bement Co.	3 25
	Frost Adams	2 00
	Robert Burlen	1 00
	Silver, Burdett Co.	7 00
	American Seating Co.	23 27
	Sibley & Co.	2 08
		\$1,235 91

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FUEL

Paid M. E. Leahy, coal.....	\$301 50
Randolph Coal Co., coal	805 83
Edwin M. Mann, wood	37 50
M. E. Leahy, wood	39 25
Andrew Hayes	4 25
	\$1,188 33

TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS

Paid Old Colony St. Railway Co.	\$300 00
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MISCELLANEOUS

Paid Register Pub. Co.	\$17 75
E. A. Perry	30 25
R. & H. Electric Light Co.	31 41
E. W. Campagna	33 86
Benj. Mann	28 77
C. H. Cole	20 00
Frank Harris	29 34
Walter L. Hickey	83 20
Wm. McElwain	34 15
R. E. O'Brien	170 07
Geo. F. Taylor	132 25
Wakefield Rattan Co.	24 00
F. J. Donohue	20 00
E. L. Payne	20 35
W. F. Barrett	20 00

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Paid	A. S. Frier	\$ 2 50
	Geo. A. Poole	45
	E. W. Roel	1 25
	H. F. Libby	15 56
	W. C. Lea	4 33
	B. Saxton	50
	Cohen Bros.	50
	D. T. Clark	3 00
	Jos. Belcher	3 55
	Nelson Freeman	1 00
	M. E. Leahy	7 50
	Cyrus Washburn	3 50
	F. W. Hayden	1 75
	Jas. Fardy	3 20
	M. Steinert Son Co.	5 50
	Chandler, Barber Co.	16 73
	S. C. Baxter	4 00
	Est. C. Doughty	83 00
	Flagg & Willis	4 60
	P. H. McLaughlin	75
	Standard Printing Co.	3 25
	A. W. Alden.....	5 62
	C. Fred Lyons	11 80
	L. Fareta	8 50
	Malden Spec. Co.	1 00
	Stone & Forsyth	6 00
	K. J. Riley	1 68
	J. B. Hunter Co.	7 00
	J. P. Rooney	11 50

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Paid	Benj. Moore.....	\$ 10 00
	W. H. Carroll	11 80
		\$936 72

CARE OF ROOMS

Paid	John P. Rooney	\$389 00
	Wm. Mahady	549 96
	A. S. Frier	234 25
	Wm. Carroll.....	31 28
	Mrs. E. Holbrook	43 00
		\$1,247 49

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Paid	Edward Long.....	\$100 00
	R. P. Barrett	100 00
	J. J. Desmond	100 00
		\$300 00

SUMMARY

Received	Appropriation, Net	\$15,150 00
	Mass. School Fund	863 41
	State on acct. Superintendent	500 00
	State—Tuition—State Wards.....	136 50
	Dog licenses	455 56
	Coddington Fund, Interest	64 00
		\$17,169 47

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Paid for Teaching.....	\$8,419 44
Superintendent of Schools	600 00
Books and supplies	1,235 91
Care of rooms	1,247 49
Fuel	1,188 33
Transportation of pupils	300 00
School Committee.....	300 00
Miscellaneous	936 72
Sec. Stetson High School Fund	2,600 00
	\$16,827 89
Balance	\$341 58

Stetson School Fund

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of Randolph:

There has been no change in the investment of this fund since our last report.

During the past year folding chairs were purchased for Stetson Hall.

The seating accommodations are now ample for all occasions.

The fund is now invested as follows, the valuation being at par.

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% bonds	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds..	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4% bonds	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5 Shares Peoples' National Bank	500 00
4 Shares State National Bank	400 00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas Company	200 00
	\$19,342 66

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The Turner Medal Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis, Minn., bond, \$1,000.00.

The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,

R. P. BARRETT,

J. J. DESMOND,

Trustees Stetson School Fund.

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

RANDOLPH, January 30, 1911.

The undersigned, Selectmen of Randolph, having this day made an examination of the accounts of the Trustees of the Stetson High School Fund for the year 1910, find them correct.

The investments for the fund are as follows, viz.:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% joint bonds at \$1,000	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds at \$1,000	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4% bonds at \$1,000 ...	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH

We also find in the hands of the Secretary a \$1,000 bond of the City of Minneapolis, Minn., the investment for the Turner Fund.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen.

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Dr.	THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH	
	1910.	
To	balance of old account	\$278 38
	Town appropriation for the year	2,600 00
	Bank dividends, Atlantic	\$60 00
	Webster and Atlas	56 00
	Old Boston	50 00
	Boylston	45 00
	People's	30 00
	State	28 00
		269 00
	Interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds	280 00
	Interest on Am. Telephone and Telegraph bonds	80 00
	Interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds	80 00
	Randolph Savings Bank, interest	135 02
	Lawrence Gas Company, dividend	16 00
	Rent of hall for the year	222 10
		\$3,960 50

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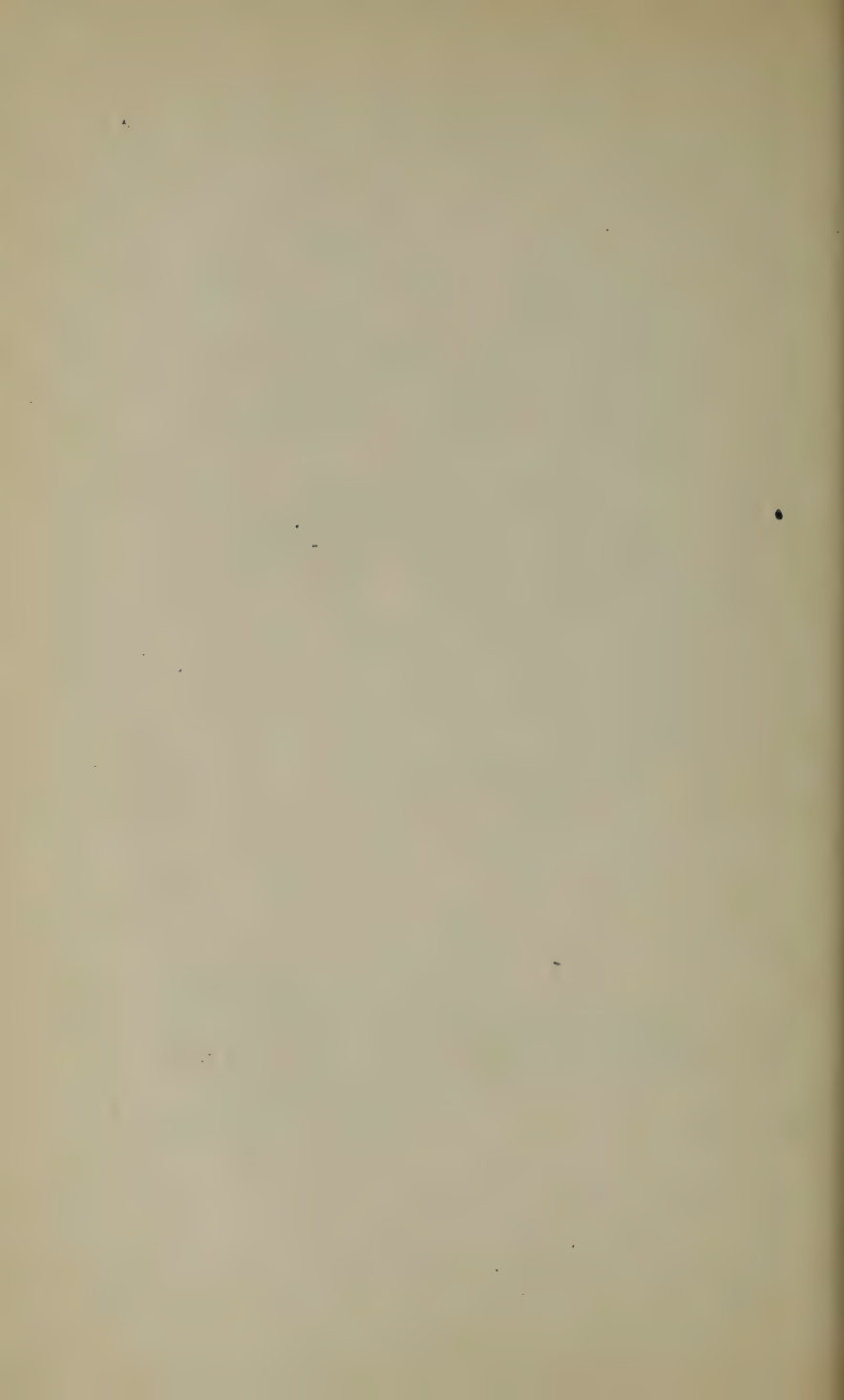
THE STETSON HIGH SCHOOL FUND

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1910.	
By paying F. E. Chapin, on account, salary	\$1,289 40
Nellie M. Stearns " "	569 72
M. Mabel Cassidy " "	569 72
Mary H. Warren " "	468 46
Margaret M. Noland " "	289 50
Marion N. Vrooman " "	21 00
Rose G. Hand, musical instructor	75 00
Randolph Coal Co., coal	48 25
Estate Chas. Doughty, lighting and supplies....	76 70
C. Fred Lyon, supplies	17 26
H. J. Harwood, seats for hall	426 77
P. S. Conroy, numbering seats	7 00
Frank W. Harris, expressing	16 76
R. E. O'Brien, labor and materials	6 50
Edson N. Roel, labor and materials	1 50
George A. Roel, setting glass	2 00
James F. Hurley, painting	3 75
F. W. Hayden, supplies	1 25
F. E. Chapin, cash paid	4 00
M. Steinert & Sons Co., tuning piano	3 00
M. E. Leahy, cleaning vault	5 00
E. W. Campagna, labor	3 50
Edwin M. Mann, wood	8 00
Albert E. Perry, labor	1 25
Howard Randall, charcoal	4 00
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, duster	2 31
Bernard & Moore, labor	3 00
Benjamin Mann, labor and materials'	8 24
James Fardy, labor	2 75
Trustees and secretary services	20 00
Balance	4 91
	\$3,960 50

Randolph, January 30, 1911.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson High School Fund, and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JOHN E. McDONALD,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
Selectmen of Randolph.



REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

RANDOLPH, December 31, 1910.

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I submit herewith my fourth annual report, the tenth in the series of superintendent's reports.

SUMMARY FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1910

Population of Randolph, census of 1910 4,301

Children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, school
census, September, 1910:

Boys 397

Girls 375

Total 772

Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of com-
pulsory attendance), school census of September, 1910:

Boys 290

Girls 278

Total 568

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Number enrolled in all schools:

Boys	381
Girls.....	388
Total	769

Average membership	710
Average attendance	671
Per cent. of attendance based on average membership ..	94
Pupils under 5 years of age	7
Pupils between 5 and 15	712
Pupils between 7 and 14	517
Pupils over 15	58
Number of grade promotions	626
Number of school buildings	6
Number of schools keeping separate registers	16
Number of regular teachers	19
Number of special teachers:	
Drawing—1. Music—1. Shorthand and Type-	
writing—1. Total	3
Number of teachers who have graduated from college ..	4
Number who have graduated from normal school	5
Number who have attended normal school without	
graduating	1
Number of different pupils attending High School in	
1909-1910	128
Number graduated from High School, June, 1910	
Boys, 3. Girls, 11. Total.....	14

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Number admitted to High School, September, 1909:

Boys, 22. Girls, 26. Total 48

Number graduated from the eighth grade, June, 1910.. 46

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FOR PAST NINE YEARS

Year ending June 30, 1902	715
Year ending June 30, 1903	695
Year ending June 30, 1904	712
Year ending June 30, 1905	699
Year ending June 30, 1906	726
Year ending June 30, 1907	729
Year ending June 30, 1908	716
Year ending June 30, 1909	762
Year ending June 30, 1910	769

Average total enrollment for first 4 months of 1910-1911 is 750 as compared with 735 for first four months of previous year.

Average attendance for first four months of 1910-1911 is 714 as compared with 693 for the first four months of the previous year.

The average daily attendance for the past four years has been 623, 640, 670 and 672 respectively.

PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL TOWN ENROLLMENT FOUND IN HIGH SCHOOL

For 1908-1909	16.1%
For 1909-1910	16.6%

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Percentage of total state enrollment found in high school

For 1909 10.7

For 1910 10.1

OUR INCREASED SCHOOL POPULATION

Last year attention was called in the report of the School Committee to an increase of 26 in the number of children between the ages of 5 and 15 over the figures of the previous year, 1908. The school census of September, 1910, shows an additional increase of 25 in the number of these children, making a total gain of 143 in the last six years. No additional room has been provided in the last five or six years; consequently there is overcrowding. This year we have four rooms in different parts of town ranging from 52 to 65 in enrollment.

The condition at the North Grammar calls for either additional room and teaching force or a new building at no distant date. Last year the principal's room registered a total of 55 pupils. This year the enrollment at that room reaches 65 and the average attendance is 61. As a result the principal is obliged to hand over the seventh grade part of the time to a teacher who must neglect a good part of her sixth grade work for this purpose. This is unfair to these pupils.

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS, 1910-1911

In accordance with law the teachers have made the fifth annual test of eyes and ears of pupils.

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Totals for the past four years appear below.

Years	Number of pupils enrolled	Number found defective in eyesight	Number found with defective hearing	Number of parents and guardians notified
1910-1911	720	107	17	68
1909-1910	732	137	32	113
1908-1909	748	125	38	94
1907-1908	697	122	25	74

These figures show a substantial decrease in the number of cases of defective sight and hearing in the four years past.

For comparison the percentages of defectives for the state at large for the past four years is shown below.

	1907	1908	1909	1910
Per cent of defectives in vision . .	22.3	18.5	16.5	15.8
Per cent of defectives in hearing .	6.3	5.1	4.5	3.8

In view of these figures no one can doubt the value of the law providing for these tests.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

One of the most serious matters that has come to light in the last two or three years is the condition of the teeth of school children as revealed by the examinations of school

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physicians. It has been shown over and over again that more than half the children in school have seriously defective teeth. In Avon this year, out of 251 children examined by one physician, only 13 had ever received dental treatment, 15 more had teeth in "good condition" and 40 others had teeth "in fair condition." The remaining 173 needed dental treatment more or less. It is hoped that arrangements may be made there for systematic care of teeth by dentists at reduced rates. Next in importance were defects affecting the nose and throat, such as adenoids, enlarged tonsils and defective nasal breathing. Every teacher knows that these produce nervous troubles that lead to inattention, disorder, and loss of learning power. These in turn result in discouragement, delayed promotion, and often in leaving school altogether.

The Legislature of Massachusetts is alive to the situation and has passed laws requiring that "every child in the public schools be separately and carefully tested and examined at least once in every school year to ascertain whether he is suffering from defective sight and hearing or from any other disability or defect tending to prevent his receiving the full benefit of his school work, or requiring a modification of the school work in order to prevent injury to the child or to secure the best educational results."

The sight and hearing tests are carried on by the teachers. The other examinations must be made by the school physician. As yet Randolph has not met this requirement.

THE YEAR

Our new High School is now in excellent running order and fairly well equipped with teachers and textbooks as compared with the grades. It is an institution to be proud of, and in its new home will be more than ever a center of "light and leading" among the young people of Randolph. Its principal, teachers and pupils are entitled to the highest credit for their untiring and effective labors in making the school a good place to be in.

It is now well to look carefully to the needs of the children before they come up to the high school. Aside from the early consideration of additional room and teaching force mentioned hitherto, the matter of furnishing sufficient numbers of proper books promptly at the time of year when they are needed should be taken up. An excellent series of modern texts for the teaching of English in grades four to eight was secured last year. A partial introduction of well-graded books on hygiene and sanitation was also made. This year an up-to-date speller has been partially introduced. These partial introductions should be completed with as little delay as possible. The introductory work in the subject of geography has on the whole been too difficult for the intermediate grades. There is great need of proper material that is within the experience and comprehension of the children of the third and fourth grades. Geography is now less exclusively a memory subject than was the case a few years ago. Today the pupil is made to understand the reasons for things as they are, as well as to memorize isolated and to him unrelated facts.

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I wish to repeat the recommendation of last year of a simple treatment of civics in the grades which shall cause the boys and girls to vividly realize that they are citizens with both privileges and duties *before they attain the age of twenty-one*, and that they can have a part in making the public opinion which for good or ill guides the destinies of our town, our state, and our country.

The economical and efficient education of our children can be most effectively fostered by placing small and carefully chosen shelves of books in each school room, and encouraging the reading thereof outside of school and in the preparation of written topics in connection with the subjects of literature, history and geography. There is a wealth of material of this kind now available which was undreamed of a decade ago. I again recommend this matter to the thought of teachers and Committee as well.

While the foregoing is in large measure a plea for new and more abundant means for the accomplishment of the work of education, I wish to here record my appreciation of the work done and the progress made by our faithful teachers in the past four years with the means placed at their disposal, and of the generosity of the town in furnishing it. There will be no facing backward. Massachusetts is realizing as never before the truth that "Whoever has the school has the future."

Thrift has now been added to the list of special subjects to be taught in our schools. A more systematic teaching of ethics and manners is being urged in different quarters. By manners is meant "habitually respectful conduct of children

and young people toward their elders and toward each other." All these things indicate that the standards which an educated public opinion now demands of the schools and the homes are becoming continually more exacting and that we must be on the alert to meet them.

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON C. LEA.

APPENDIX TO REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

TABULAR STATEMENT, 1909-1910

Schools	Grades	Teachers	Total enrollment	Boys	Girls	Average membership	Average attendance	Per cent of Attendance	Pupils not absent, tardy or dismissed	Grade promotions
Stetson High	XII	F. E. Chapin, Principal	14	3	11	117.58	113.48	96.42	11	14
	XI	Nellie M. Stearns	22	9	13					22
	X	Margaret M. Cassidy	37	12	25					30
	IX	Mary H. Warren	55	27	28					38
Prescott	VIII	Margaret M. Noland	35	14	21	31.88	31.03	97.34	6	26
	VII	Nelson Freeman, Principal	47	25	22					37
	VI	Katherine A. Kiley	45	28	17					36
	V	Hannah F. Hoye	43	23	20					1
North	IV	Katherine E. Sheridan	40	22	18	39.95	37.66	93.88	0	37
	III	Mary E. Wren	48	32	16					0
	II	Ellen E. McLaughlin	54	29	25					39
	I	Fannie A. Campbell	52	21	31					44
Tower Hill	VIII	Kittie R. Molloy	25	9	16	48.53	46.67	96.23	1	32
	VII	Joseph Belcher, Principal	30	13	17					20
	VI	Joseph Belcher, Principal	41	18	23					22
	V	Ellen P. Henry	32	19	13					1
West Corner	IV	Sarah C. Belcher	32	17	15	49.59	45.73	92.2	2	37
	III	Fannie M. Devine	18	7	11					31
	II	Fannie M. Devine	22	9	13					18
	I	Clara A. Tolman	20	8	12					20
Tower Hill	IV	Clara A. Tolman	5	3	2	23.30	21.15	90.8	1	16
	III	Jessica M. Powers	6	3	3					5
	II	Mary F. Forrest	4	3	1					6
	I	Mary F. Forrest	12	9	3					3
West Corner	III	Mary F. Forrest	10	4	6	27.91	26.23	93.98	0	10
	II	Katherine J. Riley	8	5	3					7
	I	Katherine J. Riley	12	9	3					7
	I	Katherine J. Riley	12	9	3					7
Totals			769	381	388	710.47	671.80	94.55	30	626

Roll of Honor, 1909-1910

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NOT ABSENT, TARDY OR DISMISSED

(Figures at the right of each name show the number of terms perfect.)

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Mary Loretta Barry, 3	Edith Charlotte Mahan, 1
Esther U. Blomquist, 3	Mary Loretta Mahan, 1
Grace Brennan, 1	Ellis Hall Mann, 3
William Edward Brennan, 1	Wilma Jennie Mann, 2
Doris Hawthorne Burrell, 1	Blanche Celina Marcille, 3
Ralph Walter Cartwright, 3	Rachel Clare McMahon, 1
William F. Cunningham, 2	Gertrude Marie Meaney, 1
James Gregory Condon, 1	Anna Vivian Morgan, 1
Thomas Whitty Desmond, 1	Mary Alice O'Connell, 1
Charles Gabriel Devine, 3	Elizabeth O'Neil, 1
Madeleine Catherine Dillon, 1	Julia Agnes O'Neil, 2
George Thomas Dolan, 2	Mary Agnes O'Neil, 2
Harry Arthur Dolan, 2	Henry White Pinkerton, 1
Kathleen Donovan, 2	Elva Lenore Plunkett, 1
Harold Holbrook Eddy, 1	Gladys Mae Porter, 2

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Edward Francis Foley, 1	Albert Gerald Powderly, 1
Grace Florentine Foley, 1	Emilie Porter Reynolds, 2
Mary Hagney, 2	Florence J. Roddan, 1
Rosamond Eleanor Hagney, 2	Joseph Edmund Rudderham, 1
Alice Marie Hayden, 1	Mabel Louise Scott, 1
Joseph Clifford Henderson, 1	Elizabeth Margaret Sheehan, 2
Svea Marie Johnson, 3	Mary Frances Spence, 2
Gertrude Elizabeth Kelley, 2	Ellen Christina Stanton, 1
Ruth H. Kent, 2	Corinne Fay Tileston, 1
Mary Agnes Leahy, 3	Herbert Augustus Towns, 2
Marshall White Leavitt, 3	Florence Rathburn Webster, 3
Annie Lyons, 1	Martin Edward Young, 3
Arthur Holmes Lyons, 1	Joseph A. Willard, 1

PRESCOTT VIII

Samuel Abrams, 2	Elizabeth Luddington, 1
Helen Brady, 1	Annie Madigan, 1
Dorothy Brennan, 2	Frank Mahoney, 1
Peter Collins, 2	Alice Manning, 2
Hilda Dahlquist, 1	Lillian McAuliffe, 1
Helen DeCota, 1	Mae Morgan, 2
Frank Desmond, 2	Joseph Mulligan, 2
Marguerite Dovey, 1	Thomas O'Keefe, 2
Thomas Dowd, 2	Grace Scannell, 2
Blanche Farrell, 3	Gertrude Sullivan, 2
Elmer French, 3	Esther Vaughan, 3
Alice Keith, 1	John Walsh, 3
Leo Kelliher, 3	Amy Whalin, 1
William Leahy, 3	

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PRESCOTT VII

Dwight Boyd, 1	Barbara Hoye, 2
William Conlon, 1	Adele Jones, 1
Arthur Curtis, 3	Annie Jyzek, 1
Joseph Dench, 3	John Kiley, 2
Henry Dillon, 2	Alice Marcille, 1
James Dowd, 3	Walter McCabe, 1
Paul Faxon, 1	Joseph McNeill, 1
Arthur Finn, 1	Malcolm McNeill, 1
Augustus Forrest, 1	Mary Rae, 1
David Good, 2	Edward Sullivan, 1
Fabian Hogan, 2	Anna Wallace, 1

PRESCOTT VI

Arthur Brennan, 2	Thomas Lyons, 1
Earl Croud, 2	Henry Morgan, 2
Charles Cunningham, 1	Edward O'Brien, 2
Mary Diaute, 2	Francis O'Neil, 2
James Donovan, 2	Leonard Plunkett, 2
Harold Eddy, 2	Letitia Scannell, 3
Leona Hogan, 2	Marjorie Sullivan, 2
Marion Leavitt, 2	Russell Towns, 1

PRESCOTT V

David Abrams, 1	Harold Kane, 1
Gladys Arnold, 1	Mary Keating, 1
Anna Brady, 1	Harold Keith, 1
Mary Clark, 2	Anna Leahy, 2

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Julia Conroy, 1
Lillian Deacy, 1
Mabel Foster, 1
John Gill, 1
Walter Good, 3
Heiman Greenburg, 1

Catharine Lynch, 1
Frank Mahoney, 1
Alice Mulligan, 1
Hattie Neary, 1
Elsie Rae, 1

PRESCOTT IV

Morgan Baxter, 1
Agnes Britton, 2
William Condon, 2
Mary Campbell, 1
Michael Diaute, 1
Vincent Dolan, 1
Grace Donovan, 1
Margaret Foley, 1
Elizabeth Good, 2

Herbert Guild, 1
Catharine Madigan, 1
Charles Marcille, 1
Aurora Nelson, 1
Mary O'Brien, 1
Lillian Purcell, 1
Charles Pettengill, 2
Richard Walsh, 1

PRESCOTT III

Edward Brennan, 1
Dorothy Carney, 1
Louis Crovo, 1
Marie Dean, 1
Alice Guild, 2
Reginald Hogan, 1
Russell Leavitt, 1
Timothy Lyons, 1

Raymond McGerigle, 1
Arthur Messier, 1
Frank Moore, 1
John Moore, 1
Frank Morgan, 1
Mary O'Brien, 1
Milton Robbins, 1
Eustace Scannell, 1

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

PRESCOTT II

James Bradley, 1	Ruth Luddington, 1
Minnie Cantwell, 2	John Lynch, 1
James Clark, 3	Catherine McGaughey, 1
Marguerite Diaute, 3	Helen Nolan, 1
Eva Dusablon, 2	Alice O'Brien, 1
Anna Good, 1	John O'Brien, 1
Frances Good, 2	Elizabeth Randall, 1
Blanche Hayden, 1	Edward Shepard, 1
Wendell Hutchinson, 1	Frank Sullivan, 3
Crofton Keith, 1	Marion Toomey, 1
Elizabeth Kiley, 1	Arthur Trombley, 1
Russel Kiley, 2	Ruth Vaughn, 1
Mary Leroy, 1	

NORTH VIII

Alta Payne Clarke, 1	Olive L. Palmer, 2
Leon H. Crothers, Jr., 2	Jennie L. Preble, 2
J. Lawrence Mahan, 2	Fred Von Raven, 1
Raymond Mason, 2	Ervenia L. Rhodes, 3
C. Herman McGrath, 2	Arthur C. Roel, 2
Roger L. Niles, 1	Rena J. Wrisley, 2

NORTH VII

William H. Carroll, 3	Mary Meaney, 1
Leverett E. Cass, 1	Rose L. Meaney, 2
Carl B. Hinckley, 1	Ethel W. Parker, 1
Laura G. Holbrook, 1	Chester W. Payne, 1
Marian C. Hurley, 1	Vivian M. Shurtleff, 1
Marie R. Larsen, 2	Marian Truelson, 2

NORTH VI

Dale N. Allen, 1	Harry O. Hiller, 1
George Beane, 1	Carlton B. Lyons, 1
Edith A. Bryant, 1	Martha J. Smith, 2
John Bustard, 3	Rosella R. Stetson, 1
John Curry, 1	Elberta B. White, 1
Gladys E. DeForest, 1	Viola F. Wood, 2
Katherine Erisman, 1	

NORTH V

Inez Abbott, 1	Douglas E. Mann, 1
Anna Carroll, 1	Walter Stampe, 1
Joseph Duffy, 1	Mary C. Truelson, 1
G. Carleton Eddy, 2	Helen M. White, 1
Patrick Harrington, 2	

NORTH III-IV

Charles Burrell, 1	Seth Mann, 2
Ida Burrell, 1	Geraldine Nelson, 1
Carl Bustard, 3	Russell Niles, 3
Mary Curry, 1	Sadie Patten, 2
Fred Dee, 2	Ruth Roel, 1
Rodney Dee, 1	Walter Stevens, 1
Russell Frappied, 1 •	

NORTH I-II

Kate Currie, 1	Dorothy Cushing, 1
Harold Saunders, 1	William Stoddard, 1

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TOWER HILL I-II-III-IV

James Brown, 1

WEST CORNER I-II-III

Edward Duffey, 1	A. Edgar Evans, 1
Roland F. Evans, 1	Eldon D. Faber, 1
James E. Gaffey, 2	Florence Gaffey, 2
Earle H. Hewins, 1	Louise Truelson, 1

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NOT ABSENT OR TARDY

(Figures at the right of each name show the number of terms perfect.)

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Frank Henry Bromade, 1	Elizabeth Margaret Sheehan, 1
Leo Edward Dench, 1	Mary Frances Spence, 1
Madeleine Catherine Dillon, 1	Esther Mary Sullivan, 1
Alice Elizabeth Dowd, 1	Herbert Augustus Towns, 1
Joseph Emmett Heney, 1	Anna Louise Walsh, 2
Charles Ray Kiley, 1	Ruth Josephine Walsh, 1
Elva Lenore Plunkett, 1	Almira May White, 2
Ruth Marie Rudderham, 1	Florence Marion White, 1
Mabel Louise Scott, 1	Granville Hasler Wright, 1

PRESCOTT V

Mary O'Leary, 3	Marion Webster, 1
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PRESCOTT I

Geneva Benson, 2	Francis Kelliher, 1
Mary Brennan, 1	Robert C. Kiley, 1
Margaret Clark, 1	Philip T. Molloy, 1
Charles Forrest, 1	Beatrice Scannell, 1
James Hogan, 2	Mary Shepard, 1
Louise Jaquith, 2	George Sullivan, 3

NORTH VII

William H. Carroll, 3

NORTH VI

Hazel M. Jones, 1	Arthur Macomber, 1
Rudolph J. Sitcawich, 1	

TOWER HILL I-II-III-IV

Eugene Dickey, 1

WEST CORNER I-II-III

Mabel E. Mann, 2

Graduation Exercises

CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED TEN

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Stetson Hall, Randolph, Wednesday Evening, June 22, 1910

PROGRAM

MARCH

INVOCATION Rev. Harry A. Weston

SALUTATORY Almira M. White

THE CAPE COD CANAL William J. Johnson

VIOLIN SOLO — "Faust" Alard

Mae J. McLeer

MARIE ANTOINETTE Mary L. Mahan

RANDOLPH James F. Gibson

"THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH" C. F. Noyes

Words by H. W. Longfellow

Accompaniment played by Alice E. Dowd

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JULIA WARD HOWE	Lulu B. Harris
OUR NATIONAL GAME	Michael J. O'Neil
MARK TWAIN	Rhea B. Hogan
CORNET SOLO—"The Evening Star"	<i>Tannhauser</i> Christine H. Denham
KING EDWARD	Ruth M. Rudderham
CLASS PROPHECY	Emma C. Kelley
"THE SOUL OF THE VIOLIN"	<i>Margaret Merrill</i> Corinne F. Tileston
PRESENTATION OF DESK OF 1910	Esther Farrell
"FORGET-ME-NOT"	Arr. by <i>Victor Baier</i>
VALEDICTORY	Mabel L. Scott
CLASS SONG	
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND TURNER MEDALS	
Superintendent Watson C. Lea	
"AMERICA"	School and Audience

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CLASS OF 1910 STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

MOTTO—"Ich Dien"

Colors—Orange and White

LATIN COURSE

Alice Elizabeth Dowd	Mabel Louise Scott
Emma Cornelia Kelley	Almira May White

ENGLISH COURSE

Esther Alice Farrell	Mary Lorretta Mahan
James Fennelly Gibson	Mae Josephine McLeer
Lulu Blanche Harris	Michael Joseph O'Neil
Rhea Beatrice Hogan	Ruth Marie Rudderham
William James Johnson	Corinne Fay Tileston

CLASS OFFICERS

President, James Fennelly Gibson

Vice-President, Almira May White

Treasurer, Alice Elizabeth Dowd

Secretary, Rhea Beatrice Hogan

Executive Committee—Esther Alice Farrell, Lulu Blanche Harris, William James Johnson, Emma Cornelia Kelley, Mary Lorretta Mahan, Mae Josephine McLeer, Michael Joseph O'Neil, Ruth Marie Rudderham, Mabel Louise Scott, Corinne Fay Tileston.

TRUSTEES OF STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Redmond P. Barrett, Jeremiah J. Desmond, Edward Long,
Secretary of Board, Fred M. French

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Watson Clark Lea

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GRADUATING EXERCISES

CLASS OF NINETEEN HUNDRED TEN

PRESCOTT GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Friday Afternoon, June 24, 1910, 2:30 O'clock

PROGRAM

PIANO SOLO, Caprice Bohemien, op. 20.....*Lebierre*

William Leahy

RECITATION, The Light-house Elizabeth Luddington

DECLAMATION, What Time Is It? John Walsh

SINGING, Song of Sunshine School

RECITATION, The Weight of a Word Marion McNulty

RECITATION, Guilty or Not Guilty Mae Morgan

SINGING, The Whistler School

DECLAMATION, Life Pictures.....Samuel Abrams

RECITATION, The Lucky Horseshoe.....Esther Vaughan

CLASS EXERCISE, Our Country and Our Home.....

RECITATION, Saving Mother.....Grace Scannell

SINGING, Stars of the Summer Night.....School

RECITATION, A King in Disguise.....Lillian McAuliffe

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DECLAMATION, Work and Win.....Francis Desmond

SOLO, Good Night, Little Girl, Good Night.....*J. C. Macy*

Dorothy Brennan

RECITATION, Look Up Not Down.....Gertrude Sullivan

DECLAMATION, Our Own Dear Land.....Joseph Mulligan

SINGING, Silent Night.....School

RECITATION, The Builders.....Hildegarde Dahlquist

DECLAMATION, The Old Schoolhouse Thomas Dowd

RECITATION, What Life May Be.....Helen Brady

SINGING, The Dream.....School

RECITATION, The Water-mill.....Alice Manning

DECLAMATION, Better Late Than Never.....Leo Kelliher

VIOLIN SOLO, Fantaisie Pastorale op. 56.....*Singelee*

Helen Roddan

RECITATION, Companionship.....Amy Hess

DECLAMATION, The Way to Heaven.....Francis Mahoney

RECITATION, What Does It Matter?.....Blanche Farrell

SINGING, The Light Hearted Fairy.....School

RECITATION, Where Do You Live?.....Margaret Dorey

DECLAMATION, By-and-By.....Peter Collins

MEMORY GEMS School

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RECITATION, It's Just the Things You Do. Helen DeCota

DECLAMATION, America the Beautiful. William Leahy

SINGING, Evening Song. School

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

SINGING, The Star-spangled Banner

(Audience please rise)

GRADUATING CLASS

Samuel Abrams	William Leahy
Helen M. Brady	Elizabeth C. Luddington
Dorothy Brennan	Francis Mahoney
Peter Collins	Alice M. Manning
Hildegarde M. Dahlquist	Lillian F. McAuliffe
Helen L. DeCota	Marion F. McNulty
Francis Desmond	Mae Morgan
Marguerite Dorey	Joseph Mulligan
Thomas H. Dowd	Helen Roddan
Blanche L. Farrell	Grace E. Scannell
Elmer L. French	Gertrude F. Sullivan
Amy Hess	Esther Vaughan
Leo Kelliher	John Walsh

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CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE NORTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Joseph Belcher, *Principal*

Thursday Afternoon, June 23, 1910, 2:15 O'clock

CLASS MOTTO:

"Be not simply good,
Be good for something"

Class Colors—White and Gold. Class Flower—Daisy

ORDER OF EXERCISES

MARCH School Enters

Miss Rose G. Hand, Pianist

SONG—"Spirit of Peace" School

RECITATION—"The Milk Maid" Mary Doyle

DECLAMATION—"Wrongs of the Indians" .. Herman McGrath

SONG—"Wind in the Trees" School

RECITATION—"Herve Riel"

Ethel Davis, Gertrude Gaffey, Olive Palmer, Juliet Stevens,
Bertha Teed, Ervenia Rhodes

SONG—"His Buttons are Marked U. S." Waldo Niles

RECITATION—"The Second Trial" Alberta Wales

DECLAMATION—"Marco Bozzaris" John Doyle

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PIANO SOLO	Alta Payne Clarke
DECLAMATION—"Marmion"	J. Lawrence Mahan
STORY—"The Princess"	Anna L. Ryan
SONGS—"Summer Night," "Whip-poor-will"	School
CLASS HISTORY	Charles Arthur Roel
SONG—"May Day"	Olive Palmer
DECLAMATION—"The Fish I Didn't Catch"	Raymond Mason
SONG—"Spinning Maiden"	School
RECITATION—"Money Musk"	Rena J. Wrisley
SELECTION FROM "The School for Scandal"	
Jennie Preble	Leon Crothers
SONG—"Spring"	School

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

CLOSING HYMN

GRADUATES

Alta Payne Clarke	Olive Louise Palmer
Leon Herbert Crothers, Jr.	Jennie Louise Preble
Ethel Louise Davis	Fred Von Raven
John Doyle	Ervenia Louise Rhodes
Mary Doyle	Charles Arthur Roel
Gertrude Ruth Gaffey	Anna Louise Ryan
John Lawrence Mahan	Juliet Augusta Stevens
Raymond Lawrence Mason	Bertha Ella Teed
Charles Herman McGrath	Alberta Gove Wales
Waldo Emerson Niles	Rena J. Wrisley

Reports of Truant Officers

TO MR. WATSON C. LEA,
Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir:—Will you kindly accept the following as my report as Truant Officer of the Town of Randolph for the year ending December 31, 1910:

Whole number cases investigated	9
Kept home from school by parents	5
Away from school unknown to parents	2
Taken from delivery wagon during school hours	2
Returned to school during school hours	3

And in the other cases the children returned either the afternoon or morning following my visit.

I have had but very little trouble with parents as to children going to school. I have tried in all cases to impress upon their minds the great responsibility and importance in keeping them in school.

Respectfully submitted,

E. LAWRENCE PAYNE,

Truant Officer,

Town of Randolph.

January 25, 1910.

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RANDOLPH, January 23, 1911.

SUPERINTENDENT WATSON C. LEA,

Dear Sir: — I would respectfully submit the following report as Truant Officer of the Town of Randolph.

During the past year I have been called upon to investigate eleven cases of absentees. In conversation with the teachers the attendance has been very good.

Yours respectfully,

FRANK J. DONAHOE,

Truant Officer.

Report of Fire Department

RANDOLPH, MASS., December 31, 1910.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department.

The department organized May 1st., 1910, as follows:

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

James E. Blanche, Chief of Department; M. F. Sullivan, C. A. Wales, Assistants; M. F. Sullivan, Clerk (May and June); C. A. Wales resigned, G. A. Roel appointed Assistant Engineer and Clerk.

APPARATUS AND COMPANIES

Hose Wagon 1—Driver, Frank Harris.

Hose Reel 2—Driver, P. Joseph Riley.

Ladder Truck 1—Driver, Geo. Canaway.

Chemical 1—Driver, James E. Blanche.

Hose Co. 1—13 men, John P. Rooney, Foreman.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, Geo. L. Stetson, Foreman.

Ladder Co. 1—9 men, Chas. L. Dolan, Foreman.

Chemical Co. 1—10 men, Edward F. Meany, Foreman.

The record of fires follows:

FIRE RECORD FOR 1910

- Jan. 5—On a still alarm Engineer G. A. Roel was called to the dwelling on North Main Street, owned and occupied by heirs of Nathaniel Howard, where burning soot in the chimney was threatening trouble; no material damage.
- March 11—Alarm, Box 42, corner West and Main streets, at 10 P. M., for a fire in building on Main Street, owned by heirs of Josephine Alden, and occupied by Gibb Bodreau, as a barber shop and pool room, also W. E. Sheldon, furniture repairing. All out 11.58 P. M.
- March 24—On a still alarm, Chief Wales was called to a fire in woodland, near cemeteries on North Street; also to fire in woodland between West and Grove streets.
- March 28—Alarm, Box 52, at 7.20 P. M.; false, all out signal 7.30 P. M.
- March 29—Chief Wales and Engineer Roel were called to woodland fires, between South Street, South Main and Centre streets, and at 7.47 P. M. an alarm was sounded from Box 27, on account of threatening aspect of fire at this time; all out signal 10.48 P. M.
- March 30—On a still alarm, firemen were called to fire in woodland, north of Oak Street and west of North Street.
- April 3—Alarm, Box 35, at 2.04 P. M., for fire in woodland, north and west of Oak Street; all out signal 4.30 P. M.
- April 13—On a still alarm Engineer Blanche and men were called to fire in woodland, between Warren and West streets.

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April 15—On a still alarm, Engineers Wales, Blanche and Roel, also Hose 1 and Chemical 1 apparatus, were called to woodland fire, between Liberty and Allen streets, where the buildings of A. A. Payne, Allen Street, were in danger for a time.

April 20—On a still alarm, for the fifth time in the month, Chief Wales was called to woodland fire on the north side of Oak Street.

May 24—Alarm, Box 45, at 11.30 P. M., for a small fire in rubbish at the new ice houses of H. L. Paul, off Grove Street; all out signal at 12 o'clock.

May 29—Alarm, Box 29, at 7.17 P. M., for fire in basement of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Main Street; all out 7.37 P. M.

June 18—Alarm, Box 46, 11.15 A. M., for fire in barn owned by heirs of Lydia Taber, Canton Street, total loss insured; all out 1.40 P. M.

July 2—Alarm, Box 42, at 11.40 P. M., false; all out 11.50 P. M.

Aug. 6—Alarm, Box 35, at 10.40 P. M., for fire in barn owned and occupied by J. Willie Hayden, North Street; total loss; recall at 1.02 A. M.

Aug. 7—Alarm, Box 35, at 11.37 P. M., for fire in house situated on North Street near barn burnt at last alarm; owned by I. Willie Hayden and occupied by one Cushing, building damaged at last night's fire and destroyed this time, both fires supposed incendiary; all out signal 1.40 A. M.

Aug. 26, 27, 28—Still alarms, for woodland fires, between

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North Main and High streets, threatening houses on Old Street. Hose Reel 2 was called Aug. 27.

Aug. 28—Alarm, Box 42, for fire in dwelling owned and occupied by Mrs. James McClellan, with tenement on second floor, house badly damaged; all out 6.03 P. M.; cause undetermined.

Sept. 1—On still alarm 12 M., Engineer Sullivan and men were called to a chimney fire in dwelling on Cottage Street, owned by Geo. Thayer; no damage.

Sept. 18—Alarm, Box 31, 1.20 A. M.; false; recall 1.35 A. M.

Sept. 28—Alarm, Box 51, at 2.48 P. M., for fire in dwelling on Cross Street, owned and occupied on first floor by James M. Taylor; second floor tenement unoccupied; cause faulty chimney or careless handling of stove in kitchen; all out signal 4.23 P. M.

Oct. 10—Alarm, Box 28, at 4.50 P. M., for fire in chimney of dwelling on Union Street, owned and occupied by Mrs. Hannah Hennebery; all out 5.25 P. M.; no damage.

Dec. 3—Alarm, Box 28, at 2 P. M., for fire in small shed off Union Street, owned and occupied by John Q. Pierce; boy playing with matches, supposed cause; all out signal at 2.25 P. M.

GEO. A. ROEL,

Clerk Board of Engineers.

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EXPENSES OF FIRE DEPARTMENT, 1910

Paid 48 men salary at \$12.00 each.....	\$576 00
Members of department, hour service.....	401 45
Engineer and fireman of steamer No. 1....	35 00
Department for woodland fire service.....	81 80
F. W. Harris, hauling apparatus	400 00
F. W. Harris, expressing, teams for forest fires, etc.	77 27
J. E. Blanche, hauling chemical No. 1, etc.	114 00
J. E. Blanche, care of chemical No. 1....	67 00
James Riley, hauling hose No. 2	66 00
James Riley, rent of land	15 00
C. Callahan Co., new hose (500 feet)	350 00
C. Callahan Co., supplies	24 04
M. E. Leahy, coal	68 75
Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light service	23 79
Stewart Howland Co., supplies.....	48 74
G. A. Roel, Supt. of Fire Alarm	75 00
G. A. Roel, labor	4 00
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., sup- plies	19 00
Frank J. Donahoe, steward Central Station.	85 25
Walter M. Howard, steward hose 2	25 25
R. J. McAuliffe, steward extinguisher house	7 50
Arthur W. Alden, janitor service	3 00
Bernard Moore, janitor service.....	10 50
B. F. Hayden, pung purchased.....	5 00
T. B. Jones, pung purchased.....	12 00
T. B. Jones, watch service.....	4 00

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Paid Wesley Poole, watch service	\$ 3 00
N. Norton Hunt, watch service	3 00
Marcus Tirrell, watch service	3 00
Eagle Oil and Supply Co., supplies.....	3 00
Eastern Coupling Co., Anderson nozzle	35 00
Crosby Steam Gauge and Valve Co., gauge.	2 84
Morse & Sons, expansion rings.....	3 00
Mitchell Valve Co., repairs to valve.....	3 95
John Gill and others, removing snow	4 50
F. W. Hayden, supplies.....	2 45
Edwin M. Mann, wood	8 00
Wm. O'Halloran, steward, truck No. 1	10 75
Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Co., in- surance	15 00
Ellen Grady, rent of land, extinguisher house	15 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor	6 16
Chas. A. Wales, fire service	48 25
Chas. A. Wales, account forest fires	68 00
Sundry persons, " " "	15 50
J. M. Dyer, " " "	30 25
John C. Marcille, " " "	12 25
Luke Mulligan, " " "	75
E. J. McMahon, " " "	75
	\$2,893 74
Appropriation	2,326 00
Overdrawn.....	\$567 74

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The overdraw is accounted for by the small appropriation of last year for current expenses.

The forest fire work expended upwards of \$150 over the amount appropriated (\$100); we also had to have more hose and exceeded the amount appropriated by \$150; there was also a number of overlay bills to pay.

APPARATUS

Most of the apparatus is in fair condition, but we earnestly request the purchase of more hose this year, which will put us on a safer footing than in the past. Considerable hose has been condemned the past two or three years and none purchased for a period of ten years before, and that being about the life of present made material, we need more new in addition to that which we have bought the past two years. There is about 1,000 feet of good hose and 1,000 or 1,200 of very questionable quality on hand at present.

HOUSES

We find that needed repairs must be made at the Central Station. The floor is in bad condition at the front of the house, the sills have probably rotted and settled, leaving it unsafe with the heavy apparatus housed there. We also find the paint is in very poor condition, the boarding being bare of it in many places, and it is only a question of a short time when more serious repairs would be needed on that account. The other buildings are in fair shape at present.

FIRE ALARM

We have had considerable trouble with crossed wires the past year, and it is urgently requested that there be more consideration on the part of companies, on whose poles our wires are strung, for our interests, as the superintendent can't be expected to be present at all changes that may be made in regard to new pole installation and changing of wires. The alarm has given good service the past year in spite of line troubles, and if the above-mentioned understanding is arrived at we expect no difficulties outside of regular faults easily remedied. We need a new valve at the whistle, as the old one is worn and has to be reseated often, which we can reserve as a spare when needed.

In regard to forest fire service, there has been a very great expense to the department in that respect the past few years, and it is hoped that as that branch of the service is in the hands of a forest warden, independent of the department, except when urgently needed, it is recommended he be given a sum which will take care of his department without drawing on the appropriation for the Fire Department, which this year has been deplorable to us on account of the small appropriation allowed us.

The following amounts are recommended for the coming year:

General expenses	\$1,000 00
Pay of 44 men salary \$12.00	528 00
Pay of men hour service	275 00
Woodland fires.....	200 00

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Engineer and fireman of steamer	\$35 00
Fire alarm	250 00
New hose	350 00
Repairs to Central Station	150 00
Total	\$2,788 00

JAMES E. BLANCHE, *Chief.*

M. F. SULLIVAN, *Assistant Engineer.*

GEO. A. ROEL, *Assistant and Clerk.*

Twenty-fourth Annual Report

OF THE

WATER COMMISSIONERS

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

For the Year Ending December 31, 1910

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The twenty-fifth annual report of the Water Commissioners for the year ending December 31, 1910, is hereby submitted. Orders were drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$11,387.70, as follows, including interest on notes and bonds:

For Joint maintenance	\$2,455 19
Randolph maintenance	2,237 18
Service pipe construction	733 65
Pond Street extension.....	987 04
Woodlawn Street	605 62
Balance of interest account	4,360 00
Balance of joint account	9 02
	\$11,387 70

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JOINT MAINTENANCE BILLS PAID BY RANDOLPH WATER DEPARTMENT

Paid R. E. O'Brien, cement, pipe and fittings. . . .	\$22 61
C. D. Hill, supplies	5 68
H. L. Paul, use of horse and labor.	7 50
Richard F. Forrest, labor.	291 08
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	31 93
Joshua Hunt, wood.	5 50
Augustus Forrest, labor	46 00
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies.	19 18
Patrick Ryan, labor	30 00
J. C. Keith, horse, harness, blankets, etc. . . .	281 75
Morton Holbrook, labor.	10 00
S. Winter, removing dead horse.	2 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., steel pipe and fittings. . .	50 26
M. T. Davidson Co., valve pin and packing . . .	1 98
American Oil Co., oil.	63 77
Edson Mfg. Co., supplies.	1 80
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., hose and rings	32 42
H. M. Saunders & Co., drills and supplies. . .	4 65
A. M. Draper, veterinarian.	5 00
Green, Tweed & Co., wrench	4 20
Walter L. Hickey, printing.	6 00
John Carr, labor	16 75
Boston Bolt Co., bolts.	10 00
N. E. Buck, hay and grain	73 29
A. J. Johnson, blacksmith.	2 25
Duncan Henderson, blacksmith.	3 50

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Paid D. T. Clark, surveying.....	\$ 10 00
R. B. McKim, graphite.....	1 90
C. Cronon, veterinarian.....	3 00
Bernard Moore, labor.....	8 00
Waldo Bros., cement	1 90
Perin, Seamans & Co., chain block	48 22
M. E. Leahy, coal	1,133 61
Richard P. Condon, labor.....	3 00
Jeremiah Sullivan, labor	23 00
Arthur Johnson, labor	5 00
James Fardy, blacksmith.....	48 76
Thomas Kiley, labor.....	6 75
Randolph Clothing Co., rubber boots.....	6 75
Howard Randall, use of horse.....	4 00
Frank Colombo, labor	2 25
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	1 30
Edwin M. Mann, wood	3 00
Frank Dianto, hay and grain	30 38
C. Fred Lyons, supplies.....	7 86
John B. McNeill, blacksmith	4 41
G. Lawrence Payne, clipping horses' legs ...	1 25
Crosby Steam Gauge Co., charts and ink...	5 25
W. E. Rider & Co., grate bars	4 08
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	19 32
W. D. Hatchfield, blacksmith.....	9 00
Frank W. Harris, expressing.....	10 10
Chas. A. Wales, use of barn	24 00
	\$2,455 19

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JOINT BILLS PAID BY HOLBROOK WATER DEPARTMENT

Paid W. H. Ward, salary	\$1,174 98
W. H. Ward, supplies	90
John W. Porter, coal	1,060 47
John W. Porter, horse	162 50
F. J. Wetherell, harness	25 00
F. J. Wetherell, supplies	1 15
Jerry Sullivan, labor	22 50
H. H. McCarter, blacksmith	7 73
Geo. T. Wilde, supplies	6 50
S. E. Poole, copying	1 00
Maurice Murphy, teams	10 50

\$2,473 23

Total Joint maintenance account	\$4,928 42
One half paid by each town	2,464 21

Paid by Randolph as above	\$2,455 19
Balance paid Holbrook Water Department	9 02

\$2,464 21

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Paid Walter L. Hickey, printing	\$19 50
H. L. Paul, use of horse	36 00
Patrick Ryan, labor	46 50

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Paid N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	\$ 7 03
Richard F. Forrest, labor	276 47
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	20 65
John Carr, labor	32 00
Boston Safe Dep., box rent.....	10 00
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	108 00
Bernard Moore, labor.....	7 50
National Meter Co., meters and repairing..	189 91
Arlington Five Cent Savings Bank, interest.	40 00
Somerville Savings Bank, interest	120 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest.....	35 00
Parkman M. Lund, admr. estate, interest ..	60 00
Chapman Valve Co.....	32 83
Treasurer of Commonwealth Mass., interest	480 00
A. W. Alden, stamps and envelopes.....	20 62
James Fardy, labor.....	2 75
Howard Randall, use of horse.....	9 25
D. B. White, rent of tool house 2 years....	50 00
John B. McNeill, labor	5 00
Braintree Water Department, 1-3 of expense of attorney and surveyor, blue print of Great Pond, etc.....	188 62
Thompson Meter Co., repairing meters....	4 18
Frank W. Harris, expressing.....	5 27
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	4 69
Jos. T. Leahy, cash paid.....	8 00
Daniel B. White, services as commissioner..	150 00
William F. Barrett, services as commissioner	125 00
Richard F. Forrest, services as commissioner	125 00

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Paid Timothy Lyons, expressing.....	\$ 5 41
Water Loan Sinking Fund	12 00
	\$2,237 18

SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION

Paid R. E. O'Brien, fixtures	\$4 48
John Carr, labor	74 25
Union Meter Co., supplies.....	105 73
Patrick Ryan, labor	75 00
Sumner & Gerald's, supplies.....	237 41
Hyde Park Water Department, pipe.....	70 00
Chas. A. Perry, labor.....	4 00
M. E. Leahy, ctg. pipe	3 50
R. P. Condon, labor.....	6 00
Frank Mann, labor	8 00
Ed. Meighan, labor.....	4 00
James Walsh, labor.....	4 00
J. E. Fitzgerald, labor	4 00
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	68 00
A. F. Bickford, labor	3 00
R. F. Forrest, labor	31 50
A. N. French, labor	18 63
Eben Holbrook, labor	1 00
H. C. Truelson, labor.....	2 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	27
City of Brockton Water Department, pipe..	8 88
	\$733 65

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POND STREET EXTENSION

Paid Tenny, Morse & Co., pipe.....	\$ 490 51
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad, freight.....	46 46
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.....	80 85
Payroll, labor	242 00
D. Henderson, labor.....	4 20
R. F. Forrest, labor	24 75
G. A. Poole, supplies	50
James Fardy, labor.....	2 10
City of Brockton, tapping main.....	54 20
Morton Holbrook, labor.....	20 25
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	4 00
Tim Lyons, carting pipe	17 22
	\$987 04

WOODLAWN STREET EXTENSION

Paid Tenny, Morse & Co., pipe.....	\$298 72
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	30 00
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.....	39 21
Payroll, labor	156 25
R. F. Forrest, labor	22 50
James Fardy, labor.....	9 80
City of Brockton, tapping main.....	26 72
Eben Holbrook, labor.....	8 25
Edwin M. Mann, wood.....	3 00
Tim Lyons, carting pipe	11 17
	\$605 62

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RECEIPTS

For Water, fixed rates.....	\$5,159 98
Water, meter rates	3,604 53
Meter rentals.....	454 17
Pipe and fixtures.....	554 24
Labor	82 43
Dynamite	9 00
Junk	3 00
Braintree Water Department, 1-3 printing notices	2 00
	\$9,869 35
Rebates	39 75

Paid Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer \$9,829 60

There is due the department from sundry persons as follows:

For water by fixed rates.....	588 50
Water by meter and rentals	1,032 64
Service pipe and labor.....	20 50
	\$1,641 64

The Commissioners ask for an appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars for the sinking fund.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WILLIAM F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

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RANDOLPH, MASS., Feb. 3, 1911.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water Commissioners and find them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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THE HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 15th day of December, 1910, by Inspector W. O. Young. One H. T. Boiler, No. 1. Pumping Station.

Internally: Lower surfaces were coated with a light scale. Braces were sound and taut. Rivet sections and flanges show no fractures. Openings are clear and fusible plug was in order.

Externally: Fire surfaces show no signs of overheating. Seams and tube ends were free from leakage. Brick work was in good repair. Appliances were in working order. Pressure gauge is correct.

- Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,
Manager.

Boston, December 24, 1910.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

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HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION & INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 25th day of January, 1911, by Inspector L. H. Holbrook. One H. T. Boiler, No. 2.

Internally: The inner surfaces show no serious corrosion or deterioration. These parts were free from scale formation or deposit. The bracing was sound and taut. The openings to connections were free.

Externally: The fire surfaces show no bulging. The tube ends and riveted parts show no evidence of leaks or fractures. The appliances and fittings were in good repair. The mason work was in general good condition.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS,
Manager.

Boston, January 30, 1911.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificates of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

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To the Water Commissioners

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works:

The following is the usual table:

1910	Gallons pumped	Daily average gallons pumped	Pounds coal burned	Average pounds coal burned daily
January	12,082,000	389,742	62,710	2,022
February	11,314,800	404,100	62,740	2,240
March	12,948,600	417,700	69,560	2,243
April	13,160,700	438,690	71,740	2,391
May	14,100,800	454,865	71,560	2,308
June	15,373,400	507,780	80,620	2,687
July	26,413,500	860,450	106,760	3,558
August	24,633,000	794,613	111,620	3,600
September	16,548,000	551,600	72,950	2,431
October	16,581,000	534,870	84,240	2,717
November	14,161,000	438,700	71,970	2,399
December	15,561,000	502,000	82,470	2,660
Totals	192,877,800	529,232	948,940	2,764
Increase over last year	28,188,587	77,229	91,950	252

Largest day's pumping, July 11, 1910, 1,260,000 gallons.
Time 15 hours, 45 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ended July 12, 1910, 6,972,000 gallons.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WARD, *Engineer.*

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commisisoners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during

the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off

from the premises, and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic

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purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay all expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5 00

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One faucet for each family.....	\$ 6 00
For first bathtub.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional bathtub.....	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet.....	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than.....	20 00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3 00

Boarding-Houses and Hotels

First faucet	\$10 00
Each additional faucet	3 00
First bathtub	10 00
Each additional bathtub	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet.....	3 00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5 00
Each additional horse.....	3 00
Each cow or ox	1 00

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Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses.....	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement...	05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1-4-inch nozzle to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	\$5 00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gallons average per day per 1,000 gallons.....	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons....	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$8.

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Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WM. F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

REPORT

OF

TOWN TREASURER

Report of Town Treasurer

WATER DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1909	\$1,073 23
Received water rates	9,829 60
Received interest on deposit	5 34
Received proceeds of \$1,100 note (extension of Main on Pond Street)	1,100 00
Received proceeds of \$500 note (extension of Main on Woodlawn Street)	500 00
	\$12,508 17

Disbursements

Paid orders of Water Commissioners..	\$7,027 70
Interest on water bonds	4,360 00
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1910	1,120 47

12,508 17

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT BY MONTHS

Month	Receipts	Payments	Balance
December, 1909.....			\$1,073 23
January, 1910.....	\$1,048 39	\$ 520 00	1,601 62
February	536 28	20 00	2,117 90
March	320 53	188 83	2,249 60
April	185 68	1,331 22	1,104 06
May	228 03	632 14	699 95
June	387 56	232 22	855 29
July	2,610 27	549 53	2,916 03
August	518 61	1,858 45	1,576 19
September	519 11	1,153 41	941 89
October	450 08	1,160 00	231 97
November	169 82	140 00	261 79
December	4,460 58	3,601 90	1,120 47
Totals	\$11,434 94	\$11,387 70	\$1,120 47

RANDOLPH, MASS., February 3, 1911.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the account of Joseph T. Leahy, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners, and find the same correct, and the balance as stated above.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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JOSEPH T. LEAHY, *Treasurer*, in account with RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINKING FUND

Receipts

Balance December 31, 1909	\$2,131 07
Received Town appropriation.....	2,500 00
Received for Town note.....	3,000 00

Received interest:

On 22 Town of Randolph bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	880 00
On Town of Randolph note, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent	120 00
On one Town of Randolph note, \$300, one year at 4 per cent	12 00
On four Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On O. C. R. R. bond, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent	120 00
On 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 6 per cent.....	180 00
On 7 Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 5 per cent.....	350 00
On 3 Fitchburg R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	120 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On 1 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond, \$1,000, one year, at 4 per cent.....	40 00
On 8 Am. Tel. & Tel. bonds, one year, at 4 per cent	320 00

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On deposit at Savings Banks:

Randolph	\$36 44
North Easton	39 96
Quincy	39 76
Abington.....	19 34
Brockton.....	15 36
Old Colony Trust Co.	23 05
	\$10,106 98

Expenditures

Paid for Town of Randolph note (extension main on Pond Street)	\$1,100 00
Paid for Town of Randolph note (extension main on Woodlawn Street)	500 00
Deposited in Savings Banks.....	150 86
Balance on deposit in Old Colony Trust Co.....	8,356 12
	\$10,106 98

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 31, 1910

Liabilities

Water bonds outstanding:

Due April 1, 1912.....	\$20,000 00
Dec. 31, 1912.....	700 00
Dec. 31, 1914.....	1,500 00

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Dec. 31, 1914.....	\$300 00
Dec. 31, 1915.....	1,100 00
Dec. 31, 1915.....	500 00
May 1, 1917.....	40,000 00
May 1, 1918.....	20,000 00
Dec. 16, 1918.....	1,000 00
July 1, 1922.....	25,000 00
Nov. 5, 1923.....	3,000 00
July 1, 1926.....	10,000 00
	\$123,100 00
Interest Dec. 31, 1910 (estimated)....	1,361 00
	\$124,461 00

Assets

Amount in Sinking Fund	\$65,169 45
Cash in hands of Treasurer	1,120 47
Accounts due and unpaid	1,641 64
	\$67,931 56
Net water debt, Dec. 31, 1910	\$56,529 44
Net water debt, Dec. 31, 1909	60,182 89
Decrease of net water debt in 1910.	\$3,653 45

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STATE OF THE RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINKING FUND, DECEMBER 31, 1910

One Town of Randolph note.....	\$300 00
Eight Am. Tel. & Tel. bonds	8,000 00
One Old Colony R. R. bond	3,000 00
Twenty-two Randolph water bonds	22,000 00
Four Town of Randolph notes (Wales Ave.)	2,000 00
Three Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R. bonds	3,000 00
Seven Gloucester, Essex & Beverly St. Ry. Co. bonds.....	7,000 00
Three Fitchburg R. R. bonds	3,000 00
Two Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. bonds	2,000 00
One N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. bond.....	1,000 00
One Town of Randolph note	1,100 00
One Town of Randolph note	500 00
Deposited in Abington Savings Bank	498 68
Brockton Savings Bank	422 18
North Easton Savings Bank	1,029 28
Quincy Savings Bank	1,024 24
Randolph Savings Bank	938 95
Old Colony Trust Co., Boston	8,356 12
	\$65,169 45

RANDOLPH, MASS., February 3, 1911.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have examined the Sinking Fund, and find it to agree with the statements above made.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD, *Auditors.*

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JOSEPH T LEAHY, *Treasurer*, in account with TOWN OF
RANDOLPH

Dr.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1909	\$4,722 85
Received for notes in anticipation of taxes	45,000 00
Received taxes of 1907	\$ 867 76
Received taxes of 1908	8,300 00
Received taxes of 1909	8,300 00
Received taxes of 1910 (excise)	1,478 39
Received taxes of 1910 (regular)	33,250 00
	52,196 15

Received from State Treasurer:

Balance corporation tax, 1909	\$ 54 66
Inspector of animals	50 00
Corporation tax, P. S., 1910	1,950 47
Corporation tax, 1910	2,344 97
National Bank tax, 1910	1,474 54
Military aid, 1909	367 50
State aid, 1909	4,370 00
Burial indigent soldiers	148 00
Street railway tax	1,316 04
	\$12,076 18

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Received for licenses:

1 auctioneer	\$2 00
3 slaughter house	3 00
2 pool and billiard	4 00

\$9 00

Received from Selectmen..... \$906 24

Received on account School Committee:

Superintendent schools	\$500 00
State tuition	136 50
Dog licenses refunded	455 56
Interest Coddington Fund	64 00
Mass. School Fund	863 41

\$2,019 47

Received interest:

On deposits	\$82 89
On taxes	1,407 41

\$1,490 30

Received sundries:

Court fees, Dedham	\$ 15 00
Court fees, Quincy	269 18
Sale of ink	30
Use of telephone	30
O. C. St. Ry. Co.	457 50
P. J. Riley, stone	7 50

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Tax sale	\$ 100 00	
H. L. Thomas, use of roller.....	24 00	
J. E. Blanche, Moth Dept.....	15 50	
		<u>\$889 28</u>

Received from other towns:

Taunton	\$ 14 53	
Billerica	86 50	
Duxbury	112 50	
Holbrook	241 03	
Braintree	372 16	
Abington.....	186 18	
Canton	79 76	
Brockton.....	169 86	
Quincy	28 00	
Boston.....	52 84	
Holliston	48 70	
		<u>\$1,392 06</u>
		<u>\$120,701 53</u>

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Paid Town orders	\$67,698 46	
Town notes	46,000 00	
Refunded proceeds of tax sale, invalid assessment	100 00	
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1910	6,903 07	
		<u>\$120,701.53</u>

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENT

Months	RECEIPTS							EXPENDITURES			Balance
	Taxes	Selectmen sundry accts.	Notes	Interest	Other towns, pauper accts.	State Treasurer	All other sources	Town orders	Notes		
December, 1909	\$ 500 00			\$ 1 70			\$ 15	\$2,010 86			\$4,722 85
January, 1910	1,800 00			150 00	966 18			3,642 83			3,213 84
February	1,300 00			51 86				3,868 53			2,487 19
March	3,700 00	\$40 00	\$35,000 00	233 22		\$54 66	217 25	3,284 77	\$25,000 00		35,282 43
April	1,000 00			131 85			1 30	9,369 82			10,382 18
May	1,300 00		5,000 00	54 34		50 00	2 00	5,461 05			7,496 21
June	2,150 00		5,000 00	100 00	62 34		168 63	5,513 73			8,440 50
July	1,100 00	133 40		182 39				2,145 07			5,541 14
August	2,500 00	39 70		250 68			524 00	3,188 25			4,718 16
September	26,000 00	159 45		1 06			122 61	6,705 70	10,000 00		14,382 01
October	2,650 00	107 50		104 82		11,971 52	139 50	8,285 98	5,000 00		16,069 37
November	8,196 15	426 19		228 38	363 54		1,741 31	*14,121 87	6,000 00		6,903 07
Totals, 1910	\$52,196 15	\$906 24	\$45,000 00	\$1,490 30	\$1,392 06	\$12,076 18	\$2,917 75	\$67,798 46	\$46,000 00		\$6,903 07
Totals, 1909	56,619 71	1,141 00	51,000 00	2,381 90	396 77	9,634 88	3,266 21	77,347 93	48,000 00		4,722 85
Totals, 1908	48,243 23	1,115 53	67,500 00	805 55	639 19	9,653 05	2,395 48	85,495 87	42,000 00		5,430 31
Totals, 1907	43,078 42	811 93	89,000 00	1,916 93	1,073 36	9,773 81	2,424 68	72,874 53	73,000 00		2,577 15
Totals, 1906	43,670 47	749 76	42,000 00	1,122 29	646 21	10,809 84	2,200 35	63,046 71	40,000 00		381 55

*Includes \$100 proceeds of tax sale refunded.

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Liabilities

Four notes, \$500 each, @ 4%, Wales Avenue . . .	\$2,000 00
One note @ 4%, Coddington Fund	1,600 00
Twenty-seven notes, @ 4 1-2%, refunding town debt	30,500 00
Seventeen notes, @ 4 1-10%, New High School ..	25,500 00
Two notes, \$1,000 each, @ 5%, North Grammar School	2,000 00
Three notes, \$500 each, @ 4%, Woodlawn Street	1,500 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 3.98%	25,000 00
One note, anticipation taxes, @ 4.19%	5,000 00
	\$93,100 00

Assets

Unpaid taxes of 1908	\$ 937 64
1909	11,814 28
1910	20,704 35
Interest on taxes estimated	1,155 92
State aid, 1910	4,266 00
Military aid, 1910	318 00
Burial indigent soldiers, 1910	148 00
Corporation tax, balance	118 97
Due from Duxbury	76 75
Abington	86 55
Brockton	13 31
Quincy	78 50

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Holbrook	\$ 211 70	
Billerica	125 50	
Boston	20 00	
Canton	61 28	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1910	6,903 07	
		\$47,039.82
Net Town debt, Dec. 31, 1910 ...		\$46,060 18
Net Town debt, Dec. 31, 1909 ...		56,713 49
Decrease of debt in 1910		\$10,653 31

In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund note of \$1,600, and also a deposit of \$300 in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of both of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

RANDOLPH, MASS., February 3, 1911.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries made for all payments and receipts.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

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STATEMENT SHOWING PROVISION FOR PAYMENT OF TOWN NOTES

Year	Woodlawn St.	North Grammar School	Wales Ave.	Refunding Notes	New High School	Appropriation necessary
1911.....		\$1000	\$500	\$1500	\$1500	\$4500
1912.....		1000	500	1500	1500	4500
1913.....	\$500		500	1500	1500	4000
1914.....	500		500	1500	1500	4000
1915.....	500			1500	1500	3500
1916.....				1500	1500	3000
1917.....				1500	1500	3000
1918.....				1000	1500	2500
1919.....				1000	1500	2500
1920.....				1000	1500	2500
1921.....				1000	1500	2500
1922.....				1000	1500	2500
1923.....				1000	1500	2500
1924.....				1000	1500	2500
1925.....				1000	1500	2500
1926.....				1000	1500	2500
1927.....				1000	1500	2500
1928.....				1000		1000
1929.....				1000		1000
1930.....				1000		1000
1931.....				1000		1000
1932.....				1000		1000
1933.....				1000		1000
1934.....				1000		1000
1935.....				1000		1000
1936.....				1000		1000
						\$61,500
Coddington Fund—on demand.....						1,600
Anticipation of taxes						30,000
						\$93,100

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, March 7, 1910.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated Februaury 21, 1910, duly served and returned by Michael F. Sullivan, Constable, the voters of the Town of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, on Monday, March 7, 1910.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the Moderator called the meeting to order. The warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk, after which action was taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that articles 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35 and 36 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator, said committee to report

at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Monday, March 21, 1910, at 7.30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The following is the committee on appropriations: John V. Beal, James Fardy, Augustus L. Chase, Timothy Lyons, Seth D. Bradley, Daniel P. Lyons, Mark B. Claff.

The following named persons served as election officers, viz.: Ballot clerks, Thomas L. Stetson, Thomas J. Smith; deputy ballot clerks, Herman Shaw, Dennis F. Mahoney; at gates, Joseph W. O'Mahoney, Richard Harris; outside hall, John F. Gill; at check list, James J. Shea, George H. Dixon. Tellers: Frank H. Jaquith, Rev. John N. Shipman, Daniel P. Lyons, William F. Barrett, Frank H. Tileston, Frank M. Condon, Joseph Dennehy, Edson N. Roel, Augustus Forrest, Beni F. Hayden, George A. Roel, Winthrop B. Ather-ton.

Article 1. Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such town officers as towns are by law authorized at their annual meeting, viz.: A moderator, a town clerk, a town treasurer, three selectmen and overseers of poor, an assessor for three years, a school committee, three auditors, seven constables, three fish wardens, three fence viewers, one trustee of Stetson school fund, one water commissioner, a tree warden, one water commissioner and a collector of taxes, also on the same ballot to vote yes or no in answer to the question shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town.

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At 5.55 A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots, during the voting the ballot box was opened and ballots removed therefrom as follows:

At 9.45 A. M. the register indicating 366 ballots cast.

At 11.30 A. M. the register indicating 471 ballots cast.

The ballot box failed to register correctly at any time, there being a discrepancy of 28 at the close of the polls.

When the hour of two o'clock arrived it was voted to close the polls. During the canvass of the ballots the following articles were acted on, viz.:

Article 2. The following named persons were elected to fill the offices set against their respective names:

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK

Charles H. Cole

Joseph T. Leahy

Charles D. Hill

Daniel B. White

Eugene Thayer

Michael E. Leahy

POUND-KEEPER

*Michael M. Sullivan

Article 20. Voted unanimously, that the Treasurer be and he hereby is authorized with the approval of the majority of the Selectmen to borrow from time to time during the current municipal year, beginning January 1, 1910, in anticipation of the taxes of said municipal year, a sum or sums not exceeding at any one time fifty thousand dollars for the

*Oath of office taken.

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purpose of meeting the current expenses of the town, and to give the notes of the town therefor payable within one year from their dates. All debts incurred under authority of this vote shall be paid from the taxes of said current municipal year. Said notes shall not be valid unless authenticated by the certificate of the First National Bank of Boston.

Article 21. Voted, that the Selectmen be so authorized and appointed.

Article 22. Voted, that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

Article 32. Voted, unanimously, that the Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen be authorized to borrow money, to replace, renew or refund any or all notes of the town now outstanding, that may be now due or on demand, or that may become due during the present year. Said notes shall not be valid unless authenticated by the certificate of the First National Bank of Boston.

The ballots having been sorted and counted, declaration of the result was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots..... 700

FOR MODERATOR

*Fred M. French.....	440
Wm. J. Good	1
Blanks	259

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FOR TOWN CLERK

Joseph T. Leahy.....	517
Blanks	183

FOR TOWN TREASURER

Joseph T. Leahy.....	487
Blanks	213

FOR SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

Jeremiah J. Desmond.....	326
Elmer C. Linfield.....	128
*John E. McDonald	365
*Patrick H. McLaughlin	360
Otis L. Soule	267
*Charles H. Thayer.....	336
Blanks	318

FOR ASSESSORS

(3 Years)

*Jeremiah J. Desmond.....	367
Otis L. Soule	256
Blanks	77

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

(3 Years)

*Redmond P. Barrett.....	472
John N. Shipman	1
Blanks	255

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FOR TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND

*Redmond P. Barrett.....	444
John N. Shipman	1
Blanks	255

FOR WATER COMMISSIONERS

(3 Years)

Peter J. McGrath	282
*Daniel B. White.....	326
Blanks	92

FOR AUDITORS

*Michael F. Cunningham.....	442
*John K. Willard.....	457
*John B. Wren.....	430
Blanks	771

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

*Edward Long	489
Blanks	211

FOR CONSTABLES

*Frank J. Donohoe.....	447
James Foley.....	318
*Joseph H. Foster.....	378
*John Haney	443
*Frank W. Harris.....	431
*P. Joseph Riley.....	410

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*Lincoln Stetson	364
*Michael F. Sullivan	334
Frederick W. Vye.....	310
E. Forrest Knight.....	1
Charles Truelson.....	1
John E. Linnehan	1
Michael Linnehan.....	1
Charles E. Linnehan.....	1
John Wilkinson	1
James F. Hurley.....	1
Timothy J. Clifford	1
Blanks	1,457

FOR FENCE VIEWERS

*Albert Bickford	251
J. Munroe Dyer.....	222
Michael Good	181
*John Lyons.....	232
*William Mahady.....	248
Fred A. Spear.....	157
Blanks	809

FOR FISH WARDENS

John F. Roddan.....	352
George H. Eddy	272
Bernard H. Flaherty.....	325
Charles L. McMahon.....	297
Frank McCarty.....	1

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Nicholas Moore.....	1
Robert E. O'Brien.....	1
Blanks	851

FOR TREE WARDEN

*James E. Blanche	464
John Sheehan.....	1
Blanks	235

SHALL LICENSE FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS BE GRANTED IN THE TOWN

Yes	264
No	361
Blanks	75

The ballots and unused ballots were sealed up in open town meeting after which it was voted to adjourn. A true record.

JOSEPH T. LEAHY, *Town Clerk.*

*Oath of office taken.

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ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, March 21, 1910.

The annual town meeting adjourned to this date was called to order at 7.30 P. M. by Fred M. French, Moderator.

A printed report was submitted by the committee on appropriations, a copy of which was presented each voter on entering the hall.

Article 3. To hear the report of the town officers, and act thereon.

Voted, unanimously that the reports of the town officers for the year ending December 31, 1909, be accepted.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$15,150 be raised and appropriated as follows:

For teaching	\$8,400 00
Care of rooms	1,100 00
Fuel	1,050 00
Books and supplies	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Conveyance of pupils	400 00
Superintendent of Schools	600 00
Stetson High School	2,600 00

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It is also recommended that the town authorize
the school committee to receive compensation
for their services to an amount not exceeding . . . \$300 00

\$16,750 00

Less the following estimates:

Revenue from Dog Tax, State, School

Fund and Coddington Fund	\$1,100 00	
State, for Superintendent of Schools . . .	300 00	
State, for salary of teachers	200 00	
		1,600 00

Total \$15,150 00

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to complete the
grading of the grounds around the High School Building and
raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated
for this purpose.

Article 6. To raise money to defray the general Town
expenses for the current year and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$21,683.83 be raised and appropriated
as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses	\$1,800 00
Poor in Almshouse	2,000 00
Poor out of Almshouse	3,000 00

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Soldiers' Relief	\$ 300 00
Soldiers' Relief in Randolph and Holbrook	150 00
Military Aid	150 00
Town Officers	2,200 00
Board of Health	125 00
Interest on Town debt	3,000 00
Lockup expenses	150 00
Expenses of Tree Warden	500 00
Births, Marriages, Deaths and Court Fees	150 00
Insurance on Town Property	200 00

Reduction of Town Debt:

Town note of 1900.....	630 00
“ “ “ 1901.....	500 00
“ “ “ 1907.....	1,500 00
“ “ “ 1907.....	1,500 00
Overdraft 1909.....	3,828 83
Total	\$21,683 83

Also that the interest on the taxes and deposits during the year 1910 be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the town debt. Also that the overlay tax of the current year be appropriated towards meeting any abatement of taxes which may be allowed.

Article 7. To raise and appropriate money for the repairs of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

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Voted, that the sum of \$3,500.00 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways, including paving and sidewalks, and in addition thereto the street railway tax and excise tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,600.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose. -

Article 9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the watering of streets.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for watering streets.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and that the sum of \$120 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the town pay for the expense of the insurance on the Tax Collector's Bond for the year 1910-1911, and that the sum of \$40 be raised and appropriated therefor.

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Article 12. To see if the town will make an appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Voted, that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 13. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,326.00 be raised and appropriated and that the number of firemen be limited to twenty-five.

Article 14. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payments of the "Randolph Water Loan."

Voted, that the sum of \$2,500 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan" when due.

Article 15. To see if the town will instruct the Assessors to revalue the taxable property in the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the Assessors be instructed to thoroughly review the valuation of the assessable real and personal property of the town and use all lawful means to discover such taxable property of its inhabitants as may not now be assessed, to the end and purpose of endeavoring to reduce the rate of taxation as much as possible, and that the assessors

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be authorized to call to their assistance, if necessary, representative citizens from different localities of the town, who shall serve without compensation, to enable them to make a proportionate and equitable valuation, and that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for the work of such review, in addition to the salary apportioned to them under Article 6 of the warrant.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to make repairs in the Almshouse and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 17. To see if the town will instruct the Trustees to make repairs on Stetson Hall building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 18. To see what action the town will take in relation to repairs on the Turner Free Library building, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$100 be raised and appropriated to complete the repairing of the Turner Free Library building.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to place electric lights on High street, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Michael Ford and others.

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Voted, that \$54 be raised and appropriated.

Article 23. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted, that three-fourths of one per cent. be allowed for the collection of taxes.

Article 24. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$250 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for the attendance upon all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the town of Randolph, for one year from January 1, 1910. That is to say, each physician resident in the town on the first of March, 1910, shall receive the sum of \$50 for his services provided he makes thirty-four visits during the year; after that he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of the town's poor as shall call upon him for his services; those physicians that make less than thirty-four visits shall receive pay at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents for each of said visits.

Article 25. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special officer or officers to enforce the laws, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officer.

Voted, that the town instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special officer, or direct an officer elected by the town to enforce the laws of the Commonwealth, and to post all warrants enforce the laws of the Commonwealth, and to post all warrants for town meetings, and that the sum of \$700 be raised and appropriated for said purposes; and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 26. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

Voted, that each person employed by the town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and that the laborers residing in town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 27. To see what action the town will take for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths as recommended by the State Forester and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$800 be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

Article 28. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1910.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

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Article 29. To see if the town will authorize the collector of taxes to use the same means which a town treasurer may use when acting as collector.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 30. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Voted, that the sum of \$20 be raised and appropriated for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Article 31. To see if the town will instruct the Trustees to provide settees and chairs for Stetson Hall and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that action under this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to place an additional light on Main Street, in the hollow north of the railroad bridge, as the various accidents in the past warrant some action by the town as petitioned for Howard Randall and others.

Voted, to indefinitely postpone.

Article 34. To see if the town will vote to lay flagstones on the north side of Warren Street sidewalk, opposite the Depot, and raise and appropriate money for the same, as petitioned for by Daniel D. Dennehy and others.

Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed to lay flagstones upon such portions of the sidewalk on the north side of Warren Street between the railroad track and W. P. Sullivan's store, as in their judgment may be necessary and that the sum of \$200 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 35. To see if the town will vote to extend the water main on Woodlawn Street and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted unanimously, that the Water Commissioners extend the water main from South Main Street to Highland Avenue and issue a Bond Note therefor to an amount not exceeding \$500 to be payable five years from the date of issue as authorized by Legislative act of 1909.

Article 36. Voted that a Committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the sanitary and heating condition at the Prescott Primary School and to report at a future meeting. The Moderator appointed the following committee:

John P. Rooney, Dr. Augustus L. Chase, Edward Long, Redmond P. Barrett, Jeremiah J. Desmond.

Voted, that the Moderator be paid the sum of \$25 for his services.

Mr. French having expressed his thanks directed the Treasurer to pay that amount to Post 110 G. A. R. for its Monument fund.

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The total appropriations:

For support of schools under Art. 4	\$15,150 00
For Grading High School Grounds, Art. 5	500 00
For General Town expenses	21,683 83
For Repairs of highways, Art. 7	3,500 00
For Street lighting, Art. 8	3,600 00
For Watering streets, Art. 9	500 00
For Treasurer's Bond, Art. 10	120 00
For Tax Collector's Bond, Art. 11	40 00
For Decorating Soldier's graves, Art. 12	150 00
For Fire Department, Art. 13	2,326 00
For Sinking Fund, Art. 14	2,500 00
For Revaluation, Art. 15	150 00
For Turner Free Library, Art. 18	100 00
For Lights on High Street, Art. 19	54 00
For Pay of physicians, Art. 24	250 00
For Special Police, Art. 25	700 00
For Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths, Art. 27	800 00
For Care of clock, Art. 30	20 00
For Flag stones on Warren Street, Art. 34	200 00
State Highway Tax	69 00
State Tax	3,465 00
County Tax	1,748 61
Total	\$57,626 44

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, NORFOLK SS.

*To John Haney, Constable of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, qualified to vote in State Elections, to assemble in Stetson Hall, on Tuesday, the eighth day of November next, at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in to the Selectmen, on one ballot, their votes for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Representative in Congress for the Twelfth Congressional District, Councillor for District No. 2, Senator to the General Court for the First Norfolk District, Representative to the General Court for the Ninth Norfolk District, one County Commissioner for Norfolk County, two associate County Commissioners for Norfolk County, District-Attorney for the Southeastern District and Sheriff for Norfolk County, also on the same ballot in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 520, Acts of 1910, "shall nominations by political parties of candidates for the office of Representative in this district be by direct plurality vote?"

The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5.45 o'clock A. M., and remain open until 2 o'clock P. M., and such longer time as the voters may determine and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested

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copies hereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting given under our hands at Randolph this twenty-fourth day of October, A.D. one thousand, nine hundred and ten.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

JOHN E. McDONALD,

CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

NORFOLK, SS.

RANDOLPH, October 31, 1910.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place herein mentioned by posting attested copies of the warrant at ten public places in said town, ten days before the day and hour named for holding said meeting.

JOHN HANEY,

Constable.

STATE ELECTION

RANDOLPH, NOVEMBER 8, 1910.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant, the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

The warrant and return was read by Patrick H. McLaughlin, chairman of the Selectmen, and promptly at 5.45 o'clock A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The Town Clerk administered the oath of office to the following named Election officers:

Ballot clerks, Thomas L. Stetson, Joseph W. O'Mahoney; deputy ballot clerks, Daniel P. Lyons, Herman Shaw; Check list, Fred M. French; officers at gates, Dennis F. Mahoney, Michael F. Sullivan; officer outside, John F. Gill; tellers, John Madigan, James J. Hurley, Beni F. Hayden, George V. Kelliher, Frank H. Jaquith, John N. Shipman, George A. Roel, Percy H. Thomson.

At two o'clock it was voted to keep the polls open until 2.30 o'clock; at 2.30 o'clock it was voted to close the polls and they were declared closed.

Ballot Box opened at	9.30 A.M.	Register showing		403
" " " "	11.15	" " "		522
" " " "	2.15 P.M.	" " "		707
" " " "	2.30	" " "		711

Whole number of ballots 711

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FOR GOVERNOR

Eben S. Draper	236	Moritz E. Ruther	1
Eugene N. Foss	425	Daniel A. White	22
John A. Nichols	1	Blanks	26

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Thomas F. Cassidy . .	383	William G. Merrill . . .	4
Henry C. Hess	6	Blanks	42
Patrick Mahoney . . .	26		

FOR SECRETARY

Harriet D'Orsay	19	Andrew Mortenson . .	3
Charles J. Martell . . .	374	William E. Thomas . .	4
William M. Olin	256	Blanks	55

FOR TREASURER

Carl Frederickson	4	Benjamin T. Peach . .	370
Thomas A. Frissell . . .	3	Elmer A. Stevens	245
Sylvester J. McBride . .	17	Blanks	72

FOR AUDITOR

John Holt	7	Charles C. Paine	361
Jerome P. McNally . . .	8	Henry E. Turner	232
Ambrose Miles	19	Blanks	84

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Dennis McGoff	5	James M. Swift	251
Harold Metcalf	20	Blanks	71
John B. Ratigan	364		

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FOR CONGRESSMAN

Daniel J. Daly	407	John J. Gallagher	0
John W. Weeks	246	Blanks	57

FOR COUNCILLOR

J. Stearns Cushing . .	237	Blanks	109
Jean P. Nickerson . . .	365		

FOR SENATOR

George L. Barnes . . .	228	Albert Hess	41
Rednor P. Coombs . . .	375	Blanks	67

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

John R. Luddington .	20	Daniel B. White	285
Jeremiah O'Leary . . .	372	Blanks	34

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Silas A. Stone	401	Blanks	310
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FOR ASSOCIATE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Fred L. Fisher	225	Henry A. Whitney . . .	203
George F. Maxwell . . .	346	Blanks	648

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Albert F. Barker	236	Charles A. Gilday . . .	1
Charles E. Burbank . .	21	Blanks	64
Moses A. McGaughey	389		

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR SHERIFF

Samuel H. Capen . . .	448	Blanks	262
Michael Allen	1		

FOR DISTRICT PLURALITY

Yes	358
No	63
Blanks	290

The ballots, unused ballots and check lists were sealed up in open town meeting, returns were made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and to the clerk of courts, after which it was voted to dissolve.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Assistant Town Clerk.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS

STOUGHTON, November 18, 1910.

We, the undersigned, Town Clerks of Stoughton, Sharon and Randolph, comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the

eighth day of November, 1910, for one Representative, the following votes were given, viz.:

	R.	St.	Sh.	Total
John R. Luddington of Randolph	20	35	3	58
Jeremiah O'Leary of Sharon	372	541	200	1,113
Daniel B. White of Randolph	285	500	200	985
Blanks	34	45	12	91
Total vote of each town and the district	711	1,121	415	2,247

Jeremiah O'Leary was declared elected and certificate issued to that effect.

GEORGE O. WENTWORTH,
Town Clerk of Stoughton,

GEORGE H. WHITEMORE,
Town Clerk of Sharon,

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Assistant Town Clerk of Randolph.

Table of Vital Statistics

The number of intentions of marriage, marriages, births and deaths recorded during the year 1910 was as follows:

Months	Intentions of marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	3	7	6	4
February	3	2	7	11
March	1	1	6	10
April	4	5	7	7
May	3	2	6	7
June	8	8	6	9
July	3	4	6	6
August	4	3	6	8
September	1	1	11	6
October	3	3	6	9
November	3	4	8	3
December	4	4	3	6
Totals	40	44	78	86

Whole number of births recorded.....	78
Males.....	30
Females	48
Whole number of deaths recorded.....	86
Males.....	52
Females	34
Under five years of age.....	14
Between 5 and 10 years	0
10 and 20 years	2
20 and 30 years	2
30 and 40 years	5
40 and 50 years	9
50 and 60 years	10
60 and 70 years	9
70 and 80 years	22
80 and 90 years	11
Over 90 years	2
Whole number of intentions of marriage.....	40
Whole number of marriages.....	44
Couples both native born	44
both foreign born	0
one foreign, one native	0

Marriages

RECORDED IN RANDOLPH, 1910

Date	Names	Residence	Age
1909			
Nov. 4	Harry Miller Mabey Helen Louise Bancroft	Malden Randolph	23 20
24	Charles A. White Florence M. Shaw	Randolph E. Weymouth	32 31
29	Everett L. Merchant Sadie L. Bailey	Boston Randolph	21 18
Dec. 2	Elmer W. Pomeroy Rose Etta McGuire	Randolph Randolph	22 25
1910			
Jan. 11	Frederick M. Acron Agnes Brewster	Randolph Randolph	49 31
21	Richard P. Condon, Jr. Genevieve L. Meaney	Randolph Randolph	20 18
23	Walter E. Keith Honora Margaret Cottrell	Randolph Holbrook	17 18
Feb. 10	Hugh S. Williams Lida A. Mason	Randolph So. Hanson	27 21
26	Harvey DeForest Carrie Annis	Randolph Brockton	23 22
Mar. 12	Weston E. Stone Ethel May Allen	Randolph Randolph	20 19
April 2	Samuel Rynes Sabrina Crowell Field (Long)	Randolph Braintree	41 49
6	Herbert S. Tirrell Naomie Dempsey (Harris)	Weymouth Abington	28 26

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

MARRIAGES—*Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
April 18	Alden Waite Howard	Randolph	18
	Mildred Louise Holbrook	Holbrook	17
19	Edward J. Lonergan	Randolph	42
	Annie L. Bracken	Randolph	35
26	Robert E. O'Brien	Randolph	37
	Mary D. McLaughlin	Randolph	35
May 10	John Van Beal	Randolph	67
	Edith Alden Belcher	Randolph	29
25	William A. Estes	New Bedford	30
	Jessica M. Powers	Randolph	21
June 1	Leon Oliver Pelland	Brockton	20
	Carrie Sarah Foster	Randolph	21
15	Robert A. Uniac	Randolph	27
	Mary A. Foley	Randolph	25
19	John F. Roddan	Randolph	35
	Alice G. Toomey	Randolph	26
20	George P. Pierce	Brockton	24
	Annie McNulty	Randolph	22
22	Thomas F. Pierce	Canton	26
	Anna L. McGahey	Randolph	24
29	P. Joseph Mahoney	Randolph	35
	Mary E. Monks	Brockton	32
30	Roscoe Stone Witherell	Brockton	23
	Alice Gertrude Tirrell	Randolph	17
30	Patrick F. McLaughlin	Randolph	35
	Mary G. Thompson	Stoughton	23
July 5	Edward J. Crosby	Randolph	31
	Rose E. Giard	Brockton	22

MARRIAGES — *Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
July 18	Edward Lawrence Hurley	Randolph	37
	Blanche Anna Lockman	Somerville	27
27	Arthur E. Tucker	Boston	26
	Lena F. Winnett	Randolph	25
31	Frank Fletcher	Ipswich	28
	Lena M. E. Cushman	Randolph	19
Aug. 10	Eugene A. McCarthy	Randolph	31
	Mary P. Vaughn	Randolph	25
25	Joseph P. Crowe	El Paso, Texas	37
	Katharine H. Prior	Randolph	40
31	George V. Higgins	Randolph	29
	Alice J. Hill	Randolph	26
Sept. 14	Wayne Milner Shipman	Randolph	24
	Elsie Ballard Porter	Canton	22
Oct. 12	Charles H. Foster	Randolph	23
	Frances E. Robbins	Avon	17
15	Herbert F. French	Randolph	42
	Edith L. Macgregor	Brookline	21
31	Francis J. Curran	Randolph	26
	Marry E. Connery	Avon	27
Nov. 20	Philip L. Hand	Randolph	35
	Ethel F. Holbrook	Weymouth	22
22	George A. Young	Randolph	25
	Annie Louise Stetson	Randolph	25
23	George F. Taylor	Randolph	38
	Mary A. Conboy	Brockton	37
23	Florence D. Sullivan	Randolph	27
	Catharine O'Connell	So. Braintree	29

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

MARRIAGES—*Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
Dec. 18	Gennaro Petrella Mollie Diauto	So. Braintree Randolph	22 17
18	Gibb E. Bodreau Annie L. White (Laselle) (Bryant)	Randolph Taunton	60 50
21	Martin Andrew McDonald Katharine G. Meaney	Stoughton Randolph	26 18
24	Elmo R. Grover Susan Sarah White	Randolph Springfield	22 27

Births Registered in Randolph, 1910

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan. 1	Arthur Farrar Aldrich	M	Arthur V. and Ella—Faunce
9	Charles J. Dolan	M	Charles J. and Dora A.—Daly
10	Helen L. Clark	F	J. Bernard and Lillian—Allen
22	Stillborn	F	Frank E. and Elsie T.—Fischer
29	Elizabeth Faunce	F	Benjamin J. and Cassie—Brady
30	Erma C. Mann	F	Richard F. and Bridget E.—Dunn
Feb. 6	Mabel Forrest	F	Fred W. and Florence S.—Howard
6	Carlton Ellis Dunbar	M	George O. and Alzina—Harding
8	Geneva E. Nunes	F	George E. and Hannah J.—Sullivan
8	Margaret Agnes Pierce	F	John Lunt and Emily G.—Hawkins
8	Alice Beatrice Lunt	F	George F. and Bertha M.—Sherman
10	Dorothy May Kiley	F	Henry L. and Edna F.—Bump
10	Leslie Laban Porter	M	Charles D. and Carrie D.—Burton
Mar. 1	Bertha Thompson	F	William N. and Julia—Ahier
7	Helen Madeline Evans	F	John L. and Lena M.—Fischer
24	Anna Elizabeth Greenhatch	F	Joseph D. and Josephine—Delafarno
27	Paul Deangeles	M	James and Georgiana—Hunter
27	William David Mellon	M	Charles E. and Mary E.—Wise
27	Edna May Anderson	F	John T. and Fannie M.—Simmons
April 1	Marion Glenda Walford	F	
1	Stillborn	F	
6	Elizabeth O'Brien	F	Thomas S. and Rosella G.—Foley
9	LaVerne Stewart Powers	M	Irwin LaVerne and Livinia E.—Stewart
10	Stillborn	F	

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May	11	Wayne Bromade McLeer	M	J. Frank and Adelia L.—Bromade
	16	F. Nettie Greenburg	F	Samuel and Lena—Melick
	4	Josephine Shepard	F	H. Joseph and Bridget L.—Marchal
	11	Paul Ransom Powers	M	Charles Ransom and Etta B.—Randall
	14	George Vincent Evans	M	Fred and Lillian—Farrar
June	26	Adelia Catharine Morrow	F	Tallmage and Alma—Sager
	28	Howard Nash Waterman	M	Richmond E. and Belva W.—Stetson
	30	Stillborn		
	1	Joseph Thomas Loughlin	M	Thomas and Catharine G.—Moore
	3	Gertrude Louise Benson	F	William A. and Hattie L.—Albee
July	5	Daniel White Leavitt	M	William H. and Jennie F.—White
	8	Hugh Heney	M	William P. and Jennie L.—Sullivan
	19	Harold Roddan	M	John F. and Alice J.—Toomey
	28	Stillborn	F	
	6	Ruth Anita Merchant	F	Everett L. and Sarah L.—Bailey
Aug.	6	Henry Marshall Sloan	M	Walter H. and Ella E.—Holbrook
	18	Allen Weston Stone	M	Weston E. and Ethel May—Allen
	25	Frances Puzone	F	Dominick and Assenta—Marilla
	25	Marjorie Laura Mann	F	Arthur L. and Mabel—White
	30	— Powdrell	F	Joseph W. and Alicia Margaretta—Rowe
Sept.	10	Lucretia Margaret Farmer	F	Albert F. and Adeline I.—Bailey
	11	Etta May Hayden	F	Hiram E. and Mary E.—Riordan
	25	Doris Eleanor Luddington	F	John R. and Mabel T.—Moody
	26	Stillborn	M	
	27	Rose Lorreba Pomeroy	F	Elmer W. and Rose E.—Maguire
Sept.	31	Anna Grace McGerigle	F	James W. and Catharine—McLellen
	3	Eleanor Boyle	F	Louis H. and Ellen A.—McGerigle
	8	Joseph Molloy	M	Stephen J. and Julia A.—Lane
	9	Alice Clare Sullivan	F	Peter B. and Mary F.—Conley
	14	John Clement Forrest	M	John A. and Mary E.—Hallahan
20	17	James Mason Gibson	M	Peter M. and Ellen M.—Taylor
	20	Barbara Elizabeth White	F	Archie and Elmira—Laffin
	24	Edna Mabel Davis	F	Walter and Mabel—Clark

BIRTHS—Continued

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Sept. 24	Harold O. Holbrook	M	Lester M. and Mary A.—Stevens
25	Catharine Gillard	F	Edward and Annie M.—Anderson
26	Arthur Roland Hollis	M	Ismael B. and Lena—Sloan
26	Gertrude Marie Dupras	F	John J. and Gertrude—Warburton
Oct. 6	Doris L. McGrath	F	Thomas F. and Elizabeth M.—Berrio
	Elenora Kelley	F	Joseph M. and Lillian L.—Bracken
	Carl Oscar Cederholm	M	John A. and Hilda—Lose
26	Ruth Emilie Bennett	F	J. Herbert and Alice Louise—Reynolds
27	Stillborn	F	
28	Ethel Lillian Mann	F	Weston Leon and Marion E.—Buttrick
Nov. 1	Timothy Edward Lyons	M	Timothy F. and Elizabeth G.—Lyons
	Joseph E. Devine	M	Joseph A. and Constance M.—Sharp
	Walter Addison Teed	M	Frank F. and Annie E.—Mann
15	Arthur Zecchini	M	Furth and Linda—Zecchini
16	Mary Cornelia Drummond	F	Richard J. and Pauline—Beaton
20	Irene Agnes Messier	F	Euclid J. and Margaret—Brock
21	Florence L. Mahoney	F	Frank O. and Emma J.—Thompson
26	Dorothy Gertrude Pilland	F	Leon Oliver and Carrie—Foster
29	Elizabeth H. Walsh	F	Charles T. and Maria L.—Burns
Dec. 6	Francis Edward Keith	M	Walter E. and Hannah M.—Cottrell
	Mildred Bradley	F	Henry J. and Alice F.—Sullivan
14			
23			

Deaths Registered in Randolph, 1910

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Date	Name	Y.	Age M.	D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Jan. 4	Lucretia Dyer	78	—	—	Carcinoma	Vermont
4	William W. Goody	64	9	20	Heart disease	Lisbon, Me.
5	Emery Delano	74	—	6	Pneumonia	Stoughton
21		—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
Feb. 4	George W. Hawes	74	1	17	Cerebral hemorrhage	No. Stoughton
8	Catharine F. McCabe	52	7	7	Cerebral hemorrhage	Milford
13	James Walsh	80	7	—	Acute bronchitis	Ireland
14	Rose Bowen	73	11	—	Sarcoma	Ireland
14	William Work	48	—	—	Chronic myocarditis	Truro, N. S.
20	Fred E. Turnbull	30	2	8	Fracture base of skull	Charlestown
23	Annie M. Wales	77	11	11	Carcinoma	Randolph
24	Mary L. Edwards	69	1	2	Acute gastritis	Melrose
24	Martha E. McDonald	49	9	29	Cancer	West Dennis
25	Mary E. Sullivan	46	—	—	Pneumonia	Randolph
28	John Tynan	68	—	—	General debility	St. John, N. F.
Mar. 5	Bessie May Wheeler	33	4	22	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Boston
5	Francis Macaulay	83	10	2	Arterio sclerosis	St. John, N. B.
5	Margaret E. Brennan	41	—	—	Pneumonia	Randolph
10	Thomas Kiley	51	—	—	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Randolph
10	Lydia Jane Taber	74	—	—	Epidemic influenza	Barrington, N. H.
16	Lucia A. Stewart	71	3	14	Acute gastritis	Brockton
17	Peter F. Shepard	46	2	22	Myocarditis	Randolph
19	William E. Whidden	44	—	19	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Merimac, N. H.
19	James Henry Wales	71	2	21	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph

DEATHS—Continued

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Mar. 23	William Brennan	77	General debility	Ireland
April 1	John Johnston	74	Stillborn	Randolph
8		—	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
10		—	Stillborn	Randolph
14	Catharine V. Jordan	74	Acute dilation of heart	Randolph
15	John Hill	74	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph
24	Ray French Hayden	8	Chorea	Randolph
28	Thomas Ward	19	Myocarditis	Randolph
May 2	Johanna Walsh	65	Angina pectoris	Charlestown
12	Timothy B. Curran	73	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
25	Peter J. McGrath	67	Pulmonary consumption	Randolph
27	Catharine Dolan	41	Gastric cancer	Roxbury
30		52	Stillborn	Randolph
30	John E. O'Neill	—	Phthisis	Holbrook
June 2	Dorothy M. Kiley	20	Mastoiditis	Randolph
4	Timothy Sullivan	—	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
8	Sven Peter Bolin	83	Result of fall	Sweden
10	Margaret Abenzeller	86	Exhaustion	Nova Scotia
11	Thomas F. McMahon	81	Fracture of skull	Randolph
17	Henry D. Thayer	38	Acute indigestion	Randolph
27	Stillman Powers	92	Cystitis	Harmony, N. Y.
28		84	Stillborn	Randolph
28	Nancy A. Delano	—	Disease of heart	Stoughton
28	Henry M. Sloan	73	Infantile	Randolph
July 9	William Dear	—	Sunstroke	Newfoundland
10		54		

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15	Robert F. Hamlin	2	7	Ileo colitis	Winsted, Conn.
16	Royal T. Mann	67	6	Exhaustion	Randolph
18	Alice A. Powderly	58	9	Carcinoma	Randolph
23	Paul R. Powers	—	14	Prematurity	Randolph
May 23	Lawrence Kahmer	72	15	Cerebral hemorrhage	Philadelphia
Aug. 7	Marion A. Paine	64	13	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph
8	Mary E. Gaffey	36	—	Chronic nephritis	Boston
12	Margaret J. Marr	—	2	Marasmus	Brockton
18	Thomas Johnston	78	—	General debility	Ireland
19	John Campion	81	7	Cerebral hemorrhage	Boston
19	George W. Holbrook	82	18	Old age	Massachusetts
25	Jessie Whitecross	56	11	Pneumonia	Scotland
30	Evelyn A. Messier	—	6	Pneumonia	Randolph
Sept. 9	John W. Bryan	73	—	Old age	Ireland
18	Nelson Mann	76	26	Acute nephritis	Randolph
12	Lewis Jones	86	—	General debility	Randolph
19	Nicholas F. English	28	13	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Randolph
19	John A. Boyle	83	—	Fracture of tibia	Randolph
30	— Gillard	—	4	Infantile	Randolph
Oct. 2	Abel C. Stetson	71	26	Carcinoma	Randolph
6	Daniel Gibbons	81	—	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
11	Elizabeth M. Dolan	12	—	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph
16	Simon W. O'Brien	32	—	Fracture of skull	Randolph
23	Albert E. Jones	49	16	Aneurism of thoracic aorta	Canton
23	Carl Cedholm	—	7	Infantile	Randolph
26	Richard Harris	66	—	Nephritis	Randolph
27	—	—	—	Stillborn	Randolph
29	Anna F. Foster	52	—	Bright's disease	Brownsville, Me.
Nov. 26	Rose Frizzell	77	—	Carcinoma	Ireland
28	Bartholomew J. O'Keefe	51	—	Paralysis	Randolph
28	Mary E. Sloan	76	—	Cerebral hemorrhage	Germany
Dec. 9	Betsey S. Dickey	92	13	Old age	Braintree
13	William White	50	4	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph

DEATHS—Continued

Date	Name	Age		Cause of Death		Birthplace
		Y.	M. D.			
24	Henry Morton Cox	70	5 5	Cancer		Randolph
25	Bridget A. Mahan	47	— —	Pneumonia		Milford
26	Michael Tierney	59	— —	Acute gastritis		Ireland
26	Charles Francis Doonan	63	— —	Carcinoma		Ireland

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Acute bronchitis, sarcoma, influenza, chorea, angina pectoris, gastric cancer, phthisis, mastoiditis, cystitis, result of fall, acute indigestion, sunstroke, ileo colitis, marasmus, fracture of tibia, aneurism of thoracic aorta, Bright's disease, paralysis, prematurity, one each	19
Cancer, exhaustion, two each	4
Myocarditis, fracture of skull, acute gastritis, infantile nephritis, old age, three each	18
General debility	4
Heart disease, pulmonary tuberculosis, five each	10
Carcinoma, pneumonia, stillborn, cerebral hemorrhage, six each	24
Arterio sclerosis	7

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Interments at Randolph

OF PERSONS DYING ELSEWHERE, 1910

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
1909					
Dec. 30	Mary A. Kelley	—	—	14	Fall River
1910					
Jan. 2	Napoleon Benjamin	52	—	—	Taunton
18	Harold Doran	1	4	10	Quincy
23	Frank E. Wilbur	60	3	13	Boston
23	James Megley	64	—	—	Cambridge
29	Elizabeth D. Howard	73	6	3	Medford
30	Julia E. Galvin	51	—	20	Holbrook
Feb. 10	Margaret J. Kelleher	27	—	—	Holbrook
21	Annie McLaughlin	47	—	—	Taunton
22	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
23	Anastacia Shea	68	—	—	Boston
25	Emil Pearson	32	—	—	Boston
27	Alice Spear	39	6	10	Boston
27	Kingsbury Tibbetts	72	—	—	Kennebunk, Me.
Mar. 1	Mary E. Hazard	67	—	—	Cambridge
13	Philip C. Greene	25	10	25	Avon
15	Myron W. Hollis	72	—	—	Boston
19	Catharine Farrell	71	—	—	Brockton
19	Edward Gillispie	4	3	9	Boston
20	Owen Cox	76	—	—	Tewksbury
29	John Kelliher	88	9	—	Holbrook
30	Raphael Pantana	66	—	—	Braintree
April 9	Alford C. Blankinship	1	10	—	Brockton
14	Nathanial A. White	72	—	—	Braintree
18	Michael E. Lee	78	—	—	Boston
22	Harry A. Faunce	28	8	1	Stoughton
May 1	Dorothy Q. White	10	5	26	Boston
7	George F. Bromade	73	3	4	Worcester
11	Anna J. Riordan	8	3	1	Braintree
12	William F. Ahern	53	—	15	Holbrook
12	Stillborn	—	—	—	Cambridge
14	Mary A. Otis	33	3	6	Braintree
23	Ann O'Brien	65	—	—	Boston
28	Charles Cota	6	—	23	Brockton
June 2	Dorothy M. Kiley	—	3	23	Boston

INTERMENTS AT RANDOLPH—*Continued*

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
June 19	Beverence Smith	49	1	18	Weymouth
21	Mary A. Doyle	55	7	—	Quincy
29	Elizabeth F. Kennedy	—	16	6	Braintree
29	Stillborn	—	—	—	East Bridgewater
July 18	William Harkins	58	4	10	Quincy
21	Catharine E. Dunn	72	6	29	Boston
Aug. 4	Joseph P. Myatt	—	4	17	Quincy
6	Miles Barrett	42	—	—	Boston
27	Francis Kelleher	10	6	11	Holbrook
Sept. 13	Louise Josephine Shea	—	2	15	Quincy
14	Catharine F. Cremins	18	11	—	Quincy
17	Elvira Delmarco	17	8	2	South Braintree
22	Angelina Poreo	1	3	15	Braintree
28	Mary Harley	39	—	—	Boston
Oct. 2	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
4	Harold A. Gavin	17	4	9	Boston
4	Edward E. Cote	—	5	24	Worcester
6	Andrew Whittle	45	—	—	Taunton
13	Elizabeth Galvin	38	7	—	Holbrook
17	Hiram Wilde	83	—	—	Boston
19	Joseph H. Shea	1	—	13	Braintree
26	Mary J. Aldrich	51	1	—	Brockton
28	Charles H. Williams	—	—	17	Brockton
29	Maria Perio	—	.6	13	Braintree
29	Oliver Roberts	42	—	—	Braintree
Nov. 10	Jeremiah Fitzgerald	71	—	—	Foxborough
11	Winifred Branley	76	—	—	Holbrook
16	Robert Rome	53	—	—	Boston
20	James B. Lynch	—	—	—	Somerville
20	Ellen Reilly	68	—	—	Brockton
21	Ellen King	80	—	21	Holbrook
23	Mary E. Ryan	30	3	4	Quincy
29	Olive May McKenna	5	4	19	South Braintree
29	Thomas Purcell	70	—	—	New York
Dec. 8	Mary A. Francy	44	4	21	Brockton
10	Martin S. Poppy	91	4	15	Chelsea
19	Polino Degrogren	—	—	28	Braintree
22	Catharine M. Chase	62	7	22	Boston
23	Timothy Lynch	59	—	—	Braintree
24	Patrick J. Sullivan	65	9	10	Holbrook
25	Harriet Brown	90	8	12	Mansfield
26	Allen Fay Spear	11	—	—	Indianapolis

Should any person discover an error in the preceding records, he will confer a favor by notifying the Town Clerk, that correction may be made.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Assistant Town Clerk.

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RANDOLPH TOWN REPORT



1911

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1912

Seventy-Sixth Annual Report

OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, School
Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department,
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health,
Town Clerk and Town Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School
Fund, the Trustees of the Turner Free Library
and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1911

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1911-12

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

JOHN E. McDONALD JAMES H. DUNPHY JEREMIAH J. DESMOND

Assessors

CHARLES H. THAYER		Term expires 1912
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1913
JOHN E. McDONALD		Term expires 1914

Town Clerk and Treasurer

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN

School Committee

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND		Term expires 1912
REDMOND P. BARRETT		Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG		Term expires 1914

Water Commissioners

WILLIAM F. BARRETT		Term expires 1912
DANIEL B. WHITE		Term expires 1913
RICHARD F. FORREST		Term expires 1914

Auditors

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM, JOHN K. WILLARD, JOHN B. WREN

Constables

FRANK W. HARRIS	P. JOSEPH RILEY	JOSEPH H. FOSTER
LINCOLN STETSON	MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN	JOHN HANEY
	FRANK J. DONAHOE	

Tax Collector

EDWARD LONG

Registrars of Voters

JOHN H. FIELD, EDMUND K. BELCHER, PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
JAMES FARDY

Fence Viewer

JOHN LYONS

Engineers of Fire Department

*JAMES E. BLANCHE, MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN, RICHARD F. FORREST
GEORGE A. ROEL, *Clerk*

Warden of Almshouse

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN

Keeper of Lockup

BERNARD MOORE

Representative to General Court

JOHN V. BEAL, of Randolph

*Deceased.

Report of the Assessors

The assessors herewith submit their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1911:

VALUATION			
	1910	1911	Gain
Real estate	\$1,887,950 00	\$2,134,850 00	\$246,900 00
Personal	419,450 00	448,200 00	28,750 00
	\$2,307,400 00	\$2,583,050 00	\$275,650 00
Value of buildings			\$1,461,150 00
Value of land			673,700 00
Value of personal property			448,200 00
			\$2,583,050 00
Town tax			\$50,267 00
State tax			3,465 00
State highway tax			95 00
County tax			1,607 06
Overlay for abatement of taxes			534 65
			\$55,968 71

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Estimated corporation tax, P. S. ...	\$1,950 47	
Estimated corporation tax.....	2,344 97	
Estimated bank tax	1,474 54	
1,077 polls.....	2,154 00	
		7,923 98

Amount to be raised on property	\$48,044 73
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Tax rate, \$18 60

Tax on real estate	\$39,708 21
Tax on personal estate	8,336 52
1,077 polls	2,154 00

Amount committed to collector	\$50,198 73
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ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS

15 polls	\$30 00
Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway Co.	53 50
Old Colony Street Railway Co.	898 40
Bay State Street Railway Co.....	1,074 00

\$52,254 63

Tax on real estate	57 66
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Total amount committed to collector	\$52,312 29
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Residents taxed on property	733
All others	123
Non-residents taxed on property	284
All others	27
Number of persons assessed poll tax only,	674
Number of horses assessed.....	234
Number of cows	279
Number of swine	266
Number of neat cattle	2
Number of fowl	3,525
Number of dwellings.....	978
Acres of land	5,546

ESTIMATED VALUE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Almshouse property and farm	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus	5,500 00
One Babcock extinguisher and apparatus	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup	4,200 00
Land, Clark estate	1,200 00
Highway Plant	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land, South Main Street....	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land, School Street	7,500 00
Schoolhouse and land, Chestnut Street	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land, Belcher Street	9,250 00
Land, North Street	200 00
Schoolhouse and land, Lafayette Street	1,600 00
Prescott schoolhouse and land, Ward and School Streets	17,000 00

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Turner High School, fund for medals	1,000 00
Turner High School, fund	19,342 66
Turner Free Library, building and land	40,000 00
Turner Free Library	20,000 00
Turner fund (Library)	10,000 00
Royal W. Turner Free Library Fund	20,000 00
Coddington Fund	1,900 00
E. Fanny Belcher lot	1,000 00
Stetson High School	32,000 00
Water Works	164,000 00
	\$395,292 66

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

	Appropriation	Credits	Total	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Schools, including Stetson High	\$15,544 00	\$2,046 08	\$17,590 08	\$18,038 20	\$348 12	\$91 27
Heating and Sanitary, No. 8 School	1,800 00		1,800 00	1,708 73		
Soldiers' Monument	1,500 00		1,500 00	1,500 00		
Miscellaneous	1,400 00		1,400 00	2,198 49	798 49	
Almshouse	2,000 00	969 25	2,969 25	3,141 79	172 54	
Poor out of almshouse	2,500 00	78 77	2,578 77	3,056 30	477 53	
Poor of Randolph and Holbrook	300 00	81 58	381 58	244 73		136 85
Poor of other towns				431 06		
Soldiers' relief	300 00		300 00	148 14		151 86
Highways and removal of snow	3,500 00	3,717 90	7,217 90	6,443 42		774 48
Pay of physicians	250 00		250 00	221 00		29 00
Military aid	250 00	388 00	638 00	636 00		2 00
State aid				3,962 00		
Burial of indigent soldiers				111 00		
Decoration of soldiers' graves	150 00		150 00	150 00		
Street lighting	3,652 00		3,652 00	3,784 19	132 19	
Treasurer's Bond	100 00		100 00	100 00		
Tax Collector's Bond	40 00		40 00	40 00		
Lockup	150 00		150 00	166 74	16 74	
Special Police	700 00		700 00	673 81		26 19
Water Sinking Fund	2,500 00		2,500 00	3,000 00	500 00	
State tax	3,465 00		3,465 00	3,465 00		
State highway tax	95 00		95 00	95 00		
County tax	1,607 06		1,607 06	1,607 06		
Abatement of taxes		*534 65	534 65	1,121 28	586 63	
Town debt	4,500 00		4,500 00	4,000 00		500 00
Engineer of Fire Department	2,488 00		2,488 00	3,154 33	666 33	
Gypsy moth	900 00	26 50	926 50	970 91	44 41	
Tree warden	400 00		400 00	438 16	38 16	
Almshouse repairs	300 00		300 00	368 12	68 12	
Births, marriages and deaths	150 00		150 00	170 76	20 76	
Board of Health	150 00		150 00	126 15		*23 85
Interest	3,000 00	1,392 80	4,392 80	4,105 35		287 45
Care of clocks	20 00		20 00	40 00	20 00	
Insurance	400 00		400 00	291 47		108 53
Town officers	2,200 00		2,200 00	2,080 00		120 00
Street watering	500 00		500 00	500 00		
Relining vaults				190 00	190 00	
Forest fires	300 00		300 00	165 50		134 50
New fire alarm box	175 00		175 00	170 47		4 53
*Overlay of taxes	\$57,286 06	\$9,235 53	\$66,521 59	\$72,715 16	\$4,080 02	\$2,390 51
Overdrawn					2,390 51	
					\$1,689 51	

Report of Selectmen

The Selectmen herewith submit the report of their doings for the year ending December 31, 1911:

The sudden death of Superintendent of Streets James E. Blanche was a shock to an unusually large circle of friends. Mr. Blanche was as popular an official as ever held a town position. For a number of years he was prominent in town affairs, directing the fire department with an energy and a kindliness that won him the regard and loyalty of every member of the force. As superintendent of streets and tree warden, his work was always for the best interests of the town. A gentleman, a good citizen, a conscientious public servant, he will be missed in many ways. Mr. Charles F. Blanche was appointed to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the season. The selectmen have been satisfied with his work so far.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun, according to the usual custom, by cleaning the gutters as soon as the ground would permit in the spring, after which graveling and other repairs were done on the various streets as follows: North Street, 170 loads gravel; Warren Street, 165 loads gravel and 17 loads ashes; Cottage Street, 27 loads gravel; Allen Street, 267 loads gravel; Depot Street, 76 loads gravel; Union Street, 412 loads gravel; South Main Street, 536 loads gravel, repaired and cleaned drain; Mt. Pleasant Square, 41 loads gravel, laid 36 feet, 12 inches drain pipe and cleaned ditch; Pleasant Street, 32 loads gravel; South Street, 32 loads gravel; Center Street, 82 loads gravel; Roel Street, 44 loads gravel; Mill Street, 217 loads gravel; Plain Street, 107 loads gravel, repaired bridge and cleaned ditch; Short Street, 114 loads gravel; Howard Street, 14 loads gravel; Liberty Street, 463 loads gravel; Belcher Street, 11 loads gravel; West Street, 9 loads gravel and made a new basin; Canton Street, 34 loads gravel. Cleaned all catch basins, mowed the grass and cut the brush on all streets that needed it. Paid snow bills of 1910 and 1911. We oiled the Main Street with Tarvia, which was quite an expense. Repaired fences on the various streets that needed it; made a few repairs on the steam roller and repairs on snowplow. Built Park Street, a new street, out of the 1911 appropriation.

CHARLES F. BLANCHE,

Superintendent of Streets.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

GENERAL REPAIRS

Paid James E. Blanche, superintendent	\$437 25
John Sheehan, labor	440 50
Michael Good, labor	365 50
Nicholas Linnehan, labor	351 50
James Barry, labor	331 00
Town teams, labor	520 76
Thomas Duff, labor	328 50
Martin Holbrook, labor	48 75
Joseph Desmond, labor	55 00
Robert Hamilton, labor	26 00
William Dean, labor	20 00
William D. Hatchfield, labor	26 00
Edward I. McMahon, labor	54 25
Thomas Devine, labor	19 00
Thomas Deneil, labor	25 00
John Harris, labor	24 00
Luke Mulligan, labor	27 25
Christian Truelson, labor	8 00
William H. Johnson, labor	57 75
Henry Clark, labor	19 00
John Carr, labor	20 00
Philip L. Hand, labor	11 00
Joseph Kiley, labor	16 00
Joseph Carroll, labor	19 00
Joseph O'Neil, labor	22 00
Charles Walsh, labor	16 00
Edward Devine, labor	32 00
Thomas Barry, labor	23 75

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Paid Richard P. Condon, labor	\$84 75
George F. Howard, labor	18 00
Michael Reynolds, labor	18 00
James McCabe, labor	14 00
George Averill, labor	8 00
John Barrett, Jr.	15 00
Timothy Lyons, expressing	70
Estate of John Wales, gravel	1 05
George F. Taylor, stock and labor	223 83
Albert F. Bickford, labor	182 00
John Brady, labor	15 00
John Wilkinson	12 00
Michael E. Leahy, team and labor	278 17
Frank Doonan, team and labor	35 00
Frank Mann, labor	11 00
Herbert L. Paul, team and labor	20 75
James P. Walsh, labor	218 25
Wesley C. Poole, labor	65 56
John J. Collins, team and labor	28 18
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight.....	97 33
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	3 60
Joseph Breck & Sons, supplies.....	9 39
Harold L. Bond Company, supplies	5 62
Charles Perry, labor	50 25
Frank Cullom, labor	10 00
Michael J. O'Connell, labor	17 25
Edward J. Meighan, labor	29 00
John Meaney, team and labor	183 42
William Murphy, labor	22 50

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid Duncan Henderson, labor.....	\$ 75
W. Leon Mann, labor	9 56
James Devine, team and labor	103 25
Barrett Mfg. Co., Tarvia	510 00
Charles F. Blanche, superintendent	137 55
Robert E. O'Brien, supplies	36 13
John B. McNeill, labor	27 67
Charles A. Wales, gravel	39 83
Charles N. Cole, labor	5 00
Powder and fuse.....	32
Frank Woodman, labor.....	55 00
Clara P. French, gravel	37 90
Adams Jones, labor	2 00
S. Melvin Clark, labor	7 00
Arthur Johnson, labor	45 00
Thomas Kane, labor	7 00
Edward J. Donahoe, labor	10 00
Jeremiah O'Neill, labor.....	7 00
Francis Carroll, labor	7 00
Frank E. Wilder, labor	2 00
William McCarthy, labor	12 00
Appleton Nightingale, labor.....	54 00
Robert Leahy, labor	7 00
Frank Columbo, labor.....	13 38
H. F. Libby, stock and labor	38 27
Michael Ford, labor.....	1 00
John Reynolds, labor	2 00
Estate of Charles Doonan, gravel	28 70
Oil.....	25

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Paid Henry Campbell, labor	\$ 3 00
C. Cozzetti, labor	5 50
Collins Hardware Co., supplies	1 25
Henry R. Stevens, gravel	2 38
Henry E. Holbrook, gravel	84 70
Clara Alden, gravel	2 66
James Fardy, labor	28 21
Herbert Saunders, labor	2 50
George Richards, labor	3 00
John B. Mahoney, supplies	45
Lincoln Stetson, gravel	23 24
A. Lizzie Mann, rent of land	20 00
Isaac Mann, gravel	22 01
Springfield Roller Company	10 00
\$6,262 70	

REMOVING SNOW

Paid Albert F. Bickford	\$25 21
Town teams	5 50
William H. Carroll	21 75
Michael E. Leahy	22 75
James M. Dyer	24 00
James Devine	22 00
W. Leon Mann	15 12
E. Forrest Knight	24 25
Herbert L. Paul	20 10
\$180 72	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

SUMMARY

For General Repairs	\$6,262 70
Removing snow	180 72
	\$6,443 42

Credits

Town appropriation	\$3,500 00
Old Colony Street Railway Co., excise tax	898 40
Bay State Street Railway Co., excise tax	1,074 00
Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway Co., excise tax	53 50
Lee H. Porter, crushed stone	3 00
Street Railway tax	1,664 25
Brockton Gas Co., gravel	24 75
	7,217 90
Unexpended	
	\$774 48

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid Frank W. Harris, expressing	\$78 99
William J. Good, professional services	15 00
Edson N. Roel, electric lamps	5 56
Timothy Lyons, expressing	16 40
Bernard Moore, care of hall and selectmen's rooms	115 75
Arthur W. Alden	59 82
Michael M. Sullivan, cash paid	13 50

Paid Adams, Cushing & Co., supplies	\$ 6 40
Charles H. Thayer, copying assessors' cards and cash paid	27 25
Patrick H. McLaughlin, preparing election sheets and cash paid	37 70
Thomas H. Good, teller, election	3 00
Michael E. Clarke, teller, election	3 00
George English, teller, election	3 00
Thomas L. Stetson, ballot clerk	3 00
John F. Gill, election officer	5 00
Percy Thomson, teller, election	3 00
John H. Wren, teller, election	3 00
Wesley G. Poole, deputy ballot clerk	3 00
Dennis F. Mahoney, election officer	10 00
James J. Shea, teller, election	3 00
Michael F. Sullivan, police duty and serving warrants	47 00
George A. Roel, teller, election and electric light supplies	9 70
Joseph W. O'Mahoney, ballot clerk	6 00
Charles A. Perry, distributing town reports	13 00
Charles F. Gettemy, certifying notes	30 00
Walter L. Hickey, printing town reports, etc., ...	440 50
Edward J. McMahon, teller, election	3 00
William F. Barrett, teller, election and seal- ing jars	9 06
John W. Shipman, teller, election	3 00
P. B. Murphy, printing	4 00
Lawrence McGrath, election, ballot-box	3 00

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Paid Frank H. Tileston, teller, election	\$ 6 00
Frank Connor, dinners	34 50
Globe Stamp Co., rubber stamps	3 80
Herman Shaw, teller, elections and primary	9 00
Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co.	59 81
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	113 84
Joseph Dennehy, teller, election	11 00
Charles R. Power, teller, election	3 00
John B. Mahoney, supplies	2 68
Eugene Campagna, labor on voting booths	19 03
Eugene L. McAuliffe, supplies	2 95
E. L. Burdakin, record of transfers	25 00
Hobbs & Warren, assessors' cards, etc.	15 38
J. R. McCoole, record of Probate	8 00
Edward A. Perry, labor	1 50
Edwin M. Mann, fuel, selectmen's room	32 00
The Boston Nickel Plating Co., sealer's supplies	7 91
Dexter T. Clark, surveying	31 50
G. A. R., on order of Moderator	25 00
John Haney, police duty and cash paid	12 85
W. & L. E. Gurley, sealer's supplies	8 25
Peter Gray & Sons, sealer's supplies	4 80
The Sulpho Naphthol Co., supplies	1 50
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	13 70
Waterman & Leavitt, supplies	1 90
George Canaway, police duty	7 50
Joseph H. Foster, police duty	7 50
Frank J. Donahoe, police duty	10 42

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Paid John P. Rooney, police duty	\$19 00
Cornelius F. Foley, police duty	7 50
Eastern Fountain Co., drinking fountain ...	25 00
William O'Halloran, police duty	7 50
William Mahady, police duty	35 45
Mary Farrell, for injury received on South Street	100 00
Town of Weymouth, six hydrant fixtures ...	24 00
John J. Collins, use of horse	2 00
P. Joseph Riley, police duty	7 50
Daniel P. Lyons, teller, election and primary,	9 00
John P. Hanley, supplies	50
John L. Fairbanks, supplies	6 00
Michael F. Cunningham, auditing tax collec- tor's book	20 00
John K. Willard, auditing tax collector's book	20 00
John B. Wren, auditing tax collector's book..	20 00
Jeremiah J. Desmond, copying assessors' cards and cash paid	27 50
Henry W. Griffin, labor on hall	12 70
Carter Ink Co., supplies	2 20
Timothy Clifford, painting fountains	4 00
John B. McNeill, labor	9 15
Hartford Steam Boiler Co., insurance	80 00
City of Quincy, care of prisoners	13 90
Southborough Print Shop, printing	4 00
Charles A. Riven, supplies	4 30
Robert Burlen, supplies	6 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid Robert Miller & Co., decorating hall for the dedication of monument	\$25 00
Thomas Fox, election officer	5 00
George V. Kelleher, teller, election	3 00
John J. Heaney, teller, election	3 00
Frank M. Condon, election officer	5 00
Frank H. Jaquith, teller, elections and pri- mary.....	9 00
Cartwright & Hurley, carriage	5 00
David Pope, teller, election	3 00
John E. McDonald, cash paid	5 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	12 33
George F. Taylor, covering drinking fountains,	10 00
Charles F. Blanche, carriage	2 00
Lincoln Stetson, police duty, 1909-10-11 ...	22 50
James Fardy, labor on fountain	3 00
Joseph T. Leahy, ballot clerk at primary ...	3 00
M. J. Cordingley, for injury received on street,	10 00
William Dean, injury to child on street.....	40 00
Charles Saunders, injury to horse on street .	50 00
	\$2,198 49

Appropriation	\$1,400 00
Overdrawn	798 49

TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

Paid John E. McDonald	\$250 00
James H. Dunphy	200 00
Jeremiah J. Desmond	200 00

Assessors

Paid Jeremiah J. Desmond	200 00
Charles H. Thayer	150 00
John E. McDonald	150 00

Town Treasurer

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin	250 00
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Auditors

Paid Michael F. Cunningham	20 00
John B. Wren	20 00
John K. Willard	20 00

Registrars of Voters

Paid John H. Field	50 00
Edmund K. Belcher	50 00
James Fardy	50 00
Joseph T. Leahy	75 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Engineer of Fire Department

Paid James E. Blanche	\$20 00
Richard F. Forrest.....	20 00
George A. Roel	30 00

Inspector of Animals

*Paid James Riley.....	100 00
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Collector of Taxes

Paid Edward Long for 1911	225 00
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\$2,080 00

Appropriation	\$2,200 00
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*Refunded by State	50 00
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2,250 00

Unexpended	\$120 00
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STREET LIGHTING

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Electric Light Co....	\$3,784 19
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Appropriation	\$3,600 00
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Appropriation	52 00
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Overdrawn	132 19
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TREASURER'S BOND

Paid Joseph T. Leahy.....	\$100 00
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Appropriation	\$100 00
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TAX COLLECTOR'S BOND

Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$40 00
Appropriation	\$40 00

LOCKUP

Paid Michael E. Leahy, coal	\$23 25
Bernard Moore, salary	100 00
Bernard Moore, supplies.....	29 50
Edson N. Roel, labor	3 00
George A. Roel, labor	6 25
Howard Randall, supplies	84
Patrick H. McLaughlin, supplies	3 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	10
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	80
	\$166 74

Appropriation	\$150 00
Overdrawn	16 74

SPECIAL POLICE

It is with sadness we record the death of John Haney. A faithful servant of the people. For years he held the office of chief of police. Always ready to respond to the call of any person who needed assistance, his loss is keenly felt by the entire community.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid John Haney	\$412 56
William Mahady	86 40
James W. McGerigle	174 85
	\$673 81
Appropriation	\$700 00
Unexpended	26 19

SOLDIERS' MONUMENT

Paid Herbert F. French, treasurer	\$1,500 00
Appropriation	\$1,500 00
See report of Committee.	

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS AND COURT FEES

Paid William H. McCarthy, M. D., returning birth,	\$ 0 25
John B. Wren, census of births	15 00
Patrick H. McLaughlin, recording	80 35
John Haney, court fees	18 15
William Mahady, court fees	15 56
Estate of John Haney, court fees	2 45
A. W. Myrick, M. D., returning births	2 50
A. L. Chase, M. D., returning births	2 50
George V. Higgins, M. D., returning births .	6 50
F. C. Granger, M. D., returning births	7 00
Cartwright & Hurley, returning deaths	20 50
	\$170 76

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Appropriation	\$150 00
Overdrawn	20 76

BOARD OF HEALTH

Paid Edward J. Donahoe, burial of dog and meat,	\$5 00
National Chemical Co., supplies	15 00
James McCabe, burial of cat	50
George F. Taylor, signs	2 40
Henry Campbell, labor	9 00
Michael Reynolds, burial of dog	1 50
Cartwright & Hurley, fumigating	28 00
George E. Bolling, examination of cultures .	3 00
Joseph Brady, burial of dog	1 00
John B. McNeill, labor	75
John E. McDonald, services	20 00
James H. Dunphy, services	20 00
Jeremiah J. Desmond, services	20 00
	\$126 15

Appropriation	\$150 00
Unexpended	23 85

SCHOOLS

Paid sundry accounts	\$18,038 20
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(See Report of School Committee.)

Appropriation	\$15,544 00
Credits	2,046 08
Overdrawn	448 12

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

WATER SINKING FUND

Paid Water Commissioners	\$3,000 00
Appropriation	\$2,500 00
Overdrawn	500 00

STATE TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$3,465 00
Appropriation	\$3,465 00

STATE HIGHWAY TAX

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$95 00
Appropriation	\$95 00

COUNTY TAX

Paid Henry D. Humphrey, Treasurer	\$1,607 06
Appropriation	\$1,607 06

ABATEMENTS

Paid Arthur W. Alden, collector of taxes, 1908 ..	\$651 47
Edward Long, collector of taxes, 1909	269 75
Edward Long, collector of taxes, 1910	200 06
	\$1,121 28
Credits, overlay of taxes	\$534 65
Overdrawn	586 63

TOWN DEBT

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer	\$4,000 00
Appropriation	\$4,500 00
Unexpended	500 00

INTEREST

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer	\$ 4,105 35
Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Credits	1,392 80
Unexpended	287 45

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Paid Engineer of Fire Department	\$3,154 33
(See report of Engineers)	
Appropriation	\$2,488 00
Overdrawn	666 33

GYPSY MOTHS

Paid James E. Blanche and other labor	\$969 88
Adams Express	40
Collins Hardware Co.	63
\$970 91	

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Appropriation	\$900 00
Credits	26 50
Overdrawn	44 41

TREE WARDEN

Paid Charles F. Blanche and others, labor	\$363 74
Barrett Mfg. Co., supplies	1 90
N. Y., N. H., & H. R. R. Co., freight	52
Walter Hickey, printing	3 25
Electric express	1 25
Gracelli Chemical Co.	67 50
	\$438 16

Appropriation	\$400 00
Overdrawn	38 16

FOR RELINING OF VAULTS

Paid the General Fireproofing Co., steel linings...	\$190 00
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No appropriation.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Paid sundry persons	\$148 14
Appropriation	\$300 00
Unexpended	151 86

MILITARY AID

Paid sundry persons	\$636 00
Appropriation	\$250 00
To be refunded by State	318 00
To be refunded by Holbrook.....	70 00
Unexpended	2 00

STATE AID

Paid sundry persons	\$3,962 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

SOLDIERS' RELIEF WHOSE MILITARY SETTLEMENT IS IN RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK

Paid sundry persons	\$244 73
Appropriation	\$300 00
To be refunded by Holbrook.....	81 58
Unexpended	136 85

BURIAL OF INDIGENT SOLDIERS

Paid for burial of sundry persons	\$111 00
No appropriation.	
To be refunded by State.	

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DECORATION OF SOLDIERS' GRAVES

Paid Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.	\$150 00
Appropriation	\$150 00

INSURANCE

Paid Herbert W. Pratt	\$117 98
Fred M. French	92 59
Joseph T. Leahy	80 90
	\$291 47
Appropriation	\$400 00
Unexpended	108 53

STREET WATERING

Paid Timothy Lyons	\$500 00.
Appropriation	\$500 00

Report of the Collector of Taxes

EDWARD LONG, *Collector*

For the Year ending December 30, 1911.

Report of Tax Collector for 1909

Tax warrant	\$52,180 04
Excise tax	1,640 14
Additional tax	1,379 12
Interest collected	1,123 05

\$56,322 35

By taxes paid Treasurer.....	\$51,151 44
By abatements.....	878 75
By interest paid.....	1,045 91
By taxes unpaid	3,153 23
Balance due on taxes	77 14
Balance due on interest	15 88

\$56,322 35

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Report of Tax Collector for 1910

Tax warrant	\$53,590 81
Additional taxes	313 44
Excise tax	1,478 39
Interest collected	447 33
	\$55,829 97

By taxes paid Treasurer.....	\$43,135 12
By interest paid Treasurer	404 69
By abatements.....	295 72
By excise tax	1,478 39
By taxes unpaid	10,391 48
By balance due on taxes	81 93
By balance due on interest	42 64
	\$55,829 97

Report of Tax Collector for 1911

Tax warrant for 1911	\$50,198 73
Excise tax	2,025 90
Additional tax	96 96
Interest collected	43 07
	\$52,364 66

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By taxes paid Treasurer.....	\$31,350 00
By excise tax paid Treasurer.....	2,025 90
By abatements.....	206 16
By interest on hand	43 07
By taxes on hand	34 53
By taxes uncollected	18,705 00
	\$52,364 66

Report of the Monument Committee

January 20, 1912.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

At the adjourned annual town meeting held on March 20, 1911, on petition of W. A. Croak and others, to see what action the town will take in relation to building a Soldiers' Monument in Randolph, in accordance with the provisions of the will of the late Hiram C. Alden, and raise and appropriate money therefor, the following vote was passed:

Voted: That the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) be raised and appropriated as a contribution toward the erection of a Soldiers' Monument in this town, the site therefor to be on the green in front of Stetson Hall, and that the said sum be set apart by the Treasurer of the town, and not paid over or drawn upon until the Treasurer and Selectmen are reasonably assured that the contributions from other sources for said erection amount to the sum of twenty-seven hundred dollars (\$2,700), and that a committee consisting of three citizens, not members of Post 110, G. A. R., be appointed by the Moderator at this meeting, to act jointly

with a committee of three to be appointed by and from the members of said Post, which joint committee shall have full charge over the architectural design of said monument, and full power and authority to enter into contract for the erection thereof. But under no condition or circumstances shall said committee involve the town to a greater liability than fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) without a vote of the town at a meeting called for that purpose.

Herbert F. French, Edwin M. Mann and James Fardy were appointed on this committee by the Moderator, and William A. Croak, Rufus I. Jones and David Pope were appointed by and from the members of Post 110, 'G. A. R.

The committee met in G. A. R. Hall on March 20, 1911, and organized. James Fardy was chosen chairman of the committee and William A. Croak secretary. It was voted that the committee be known as "The Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Committee." At a subsequent meeting Herbert F. French was chosen treasurer of the committee.

The aim of the committee has been to secure a memorial which would be not only a fit recognition of the many sacrifices made by the men of Randolph during the Civil War, but one which would be in keeping with the surroundings and an ornament to the public square and the lot upon which it was to be erected. With this end in view, the committee called for designs and specifications for such a monument.

A number of firms experienced in monumental work responded with designs and estimates; the design submitted by J. N. White & Sons of West Quincy being most satisfactory to the committee was accepted, and the contract

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awarded to this firm on May 3, 1911, for thirty-nine hundred dollars (\$3,900).

The material used in the monument is first-class blue Westerly, Rhode Island, monumental granite.

The height of the statue is eight (8) feet, and is of first-class United States standard bronze. The height of the monument, including the statue, is twenty (20) feet.

In order that the lot might be properly protected, and the whole work be made more permanent, the committee decided to place a curbing around the rear similar to that on the front. The contract for this work was also awarded to J. N. White & Sons for three hundred dollars (\$300).

With the completion of the monument, it became necessary to grade the entire lot, and also to have the ground thoroughly prepared, seeded and rolled, in order that in the coming spring the whole work might appear to the best possible advantage.

THE DEDICATION

The monument was dedicated on October 21, 1911. Although the weather was very unpleasant, the ceremonies were carried out according to the program, copies of which had previously been distributed throughout the town.

The procession started from Central Square promptly at 10 o'clock, headed by a platoon of police and the Martland Brockton Band, and with Camp 84, Sons of Veterans of Randolph, escorting Posts 110 of Randolph, 72 of Stoughton, 94 of Canton, 102 of Milton, 88 of Quincy, 87 of South Braintree, 193 of Avon and 58 of Weymouth.

The route was through Main to Orchard Streets. A drizzling rain began during the march and continued until the return to Central Square, when the veterans gathered around the monument ready to do their part in dedicating it to the noble purpose for which it was erected.

A stand had been erected in front of Stetson Hall adjacent to the monument, for the convenience of those who were to take part in the program, while grouped around the monument were the members of Post 110, who were to perform the exercises of dedication in accordance with the ritual of the G. A. R.

Stetson Hall was tastefully decorated with flags and bunting and presented a very attractive appearance. Seated upon the platform were the town officers and other invited guests, and around the monument and in front of the hall the people assembled in large numbers to witness the unveiling.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

OPENING ADDRESS

James Fardy, Chairman of Committee

PRAYER

Rev. Daniel J. Gleeson

UNVEILING OF MONUMENT

Mrs. William Porter and Miss Ella F. Palmer

MUSIC, "Simple Aven" *Thorne*
The Martland Brockton Band

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DEDICATION EXERCISES

Post 110, G. A. R.

PRESENTATION OF MONUMENT TO TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Herbert F. French, Treasurer of Committee

ACCEPTANCE OF MONUMENT FOR THE TOWN

John E. McDonald, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen

MUSIC, "Songs of the Nation".....*Lampe*

The Martland Brockton Band

ORATION

Granville C. Fiske, Department Commander G. A. R.

CLOSING EXERCISES

Post 110, G. A. R.

MUSIC, "America"

The Martland Brockton Band

BENEDICTION

Rev. Archibald McCord

Mr. Fiske being unable to be present, the oration was delivered by George A. Hosley, Senior Vice-Commander, Massachusetts Department G. A. R.

At the conclusion of the exercises a large company of invited guests partook of a banquet which had been provided by the committee in Stetson Hall. Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. Archibald McCord, and after an excellent menu had been served, the guests were called to order by the chairman.

W. A. Wetherbee, Adjutant-General Department Massachusetts G. A. R., was called upon and responded with a stirring address recalling incidents in the day of the Civil War.

Rev. Archibald McCord was then introduced and spoke in a very felicitous manner and was heartily received by all present.

The band then favored the company with patriotic selections, and the ceremonies of the day in memory of our soldiers and sailors of the Civil War were ended.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS

Popular subscriptions	\$1,038 91	
Estate Hiram C. Alden and interest ..	1,091 40	
J. T. Flood Fund and interest	1,009 09	
Ladies' Whist Fund and interest	282 40	
Appropriation Town of Randolph	1,500 00	
Total receipts		\$4,921 80

EXPENDITURES

Monument, J. N. White & Sons	\$3,900 00	
Curbing, J. N. White & Sons	300 00	
Foundation, extra work	28 00	
Grading	61 25	
Total cost of monument.....	\$4,289 25	

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Band	\$109 50	
Programs and printing	69 00	
Banquet	145 50	
Staging	14 30	
Flowers	10 00	
Unveiling flags and decorating, ...	44 00	
Miscellaneous expenses	40 25	432 55

Total expenditures \$4,721 80

Balance on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank.... \$200 00

The Westerly granite, of which the monument is constructed, being of a light shade, is somewhat inclined to show the effect of the dust and dirt from the street, but if occasionally washed, will appear as fresh as ever.

In order that the appearance of the monument may not suffer in the years to come, it is the intention of the committee to insert an article in the warrant for the next town meeting, requesting the town to accept the unexpended balance of two hundred dollars (\$200) as a perpetual trust fund, the income to be expended yearly in keeping the monument clean.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES FARDY,
RUFUS I. JONES,
EDWIN McMANN,
WILLIAM A. CROAK,
DAVID POPE,
HERBERT F. FRENCH,
Committee.

Report of the Overseers of the Poor

The Overseers of the Poor herewith submit their report for the year ending December 31, 1911:

At the almshouse the repairs recommended by the State Inspector of Institutions last year were made. This coming year the house should be painted outside and new floors laid in some of the rooms. We would recommend an appropriation of \$300.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan continue as warden and matron, giving as good satisfaction as in the past. The Board has the highest appreciation of their management of the house and the care and treatment of the inmates.

Whole number of inmates during the year	27
Number discharged	6
Committed to asylum.....	1
Present number	20
Net expense	\$2,034 42
Number of inmate weeks	840
Cost per week	\$2 42 +

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ALMSHOUSE

Paid James W. Taylor, ice	\$12 25
Michael M. Sullivan, superintendent, salary.	500 02
Randolph Cash Store, groceries	116 41
Milay Soap Co., supplies	17 00
L. Richmond & Co., supplies.....	2 50
Patrick H. McLaughlin, supplies	61 81
George H. Eddy, provisions.....	188 50
Timothy J. Cummings, fish	38 94
Richard J. McAuliffe, provisions.....	210 08
Moses J. McGaughey, repairing shoes	10 10
Patrick F. Clark, pigs	12 00
Nathan E. Buck, grain.....	191 21
John B. Mahoney, groceries.....	150 47
F. W. Hayden & Co., groceries	113 64
J. C. Keith, wagon	85 00
Frank Dianto, coal and grain	238 92
Walter M. Howard, fish	14 95
Eugene Campagna, labor	2 36
Louis H. Boyle, medicines	32 70
Robert E. O'Brien, stock and labor	50 28
Randolph Clothing Co., clothing	26 15
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	10 40
George F. Taylor, labor	2 50
Joseph Breck & Sons, supplies.....	7 68
M. E. Leahy, coal	180 55
Randolph Coal Co., coal.....	32 80
J. B. Dunbar, Jr., hay	12 50
C. Fred Lyons, groceries.....	114 17

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Paid Frank W. Harris, expressing	\$13 00
Edward E. Lothrop, supplies	2 00
William Billingham, plants	1 00
Besse, Baker & Co., clothing	11 78
Estate of Charles Doughty, harness and re- pairing	19 75
W. H. Richardson, supplies	3 00
John J. Collins, labor and team	5 00
Eugene Thayer, groceries	129 63
William Crossley, newspapers	6 00
John B. McNeill, stock and labor	40 41
John P. Hanley, supplies	27 72
A. Lizzie Mann, hay	27 71
James Fardy, stock and labor	36 99
John Croud, labor	20 00
Arthur Hagney, shoes	14 60
Herbert F. Reynolds, supplies	68 89
Charles H. Saunders, supplies	46 68
Charles H. Cole, labor	8 00
Myer, Abram & Co., supplies	1 50
Frank J. McEnelly, medicines	13 00
Daniel M. Cullity, supplies	55 59
Lee H. Porter, medicines	41 85
Albert F. Bickford, dressing hogs	4 50
Edward J. Megley, labor	3 50
Royal Shoe Co., shoes	3 80
\$3,141 79	

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ALMSHOUSE

Dr.

Stock on hand December 31, 1910	\$2,698 45
Salaries and supplies, 1911	3,141 79
	\$5,840 24

Cr.

Stock on hand December 31, 1911	\$2,836 57
Sale of produce	238 99
Town teams	532 26
Board	195 00
Sale of wagon	3 00
Net expense	2,034 42
	\$5,840 24

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
Credits	969 25
	\$2,969 25

Overdrawn	172 54
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ALMSHOUSE AND TOWN FARM

Inventory of stock appraised, etc., December 31, 1911:

2 Cows	\$100 00
1 Heifer	50 00
2 Horses	300 00
29 Fowl	29 00
1 Road scraper	75 00
1 Farm wagon	30 00
2 Tip carts	60 00
1 Harness	5 00
2 Sets Harness	50 00
1 Swing drag	30 00
1 Mowing machine	37 00
1 Hay tedder	20 00
1 Hay rake	23 00
1 Seed sower	9 00
5 Tons of hay	100 00
2 Gravel screens	10 00
1 Two-horse cart	75 00
1 Set of double harness	30 00
1 Two-horse sled	40 00
1 Tool chest	5 00
1 Hay cutter	5 00
6 Draught chains	12 00
1 Grindstone	4 00
1 Carriage and harness	100 00
6 Snow plows	150 00
Derrick and chains	100 00
1 Sleigh	5 00

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Robes and blankets	\$ 7 00
1 Lawn mower	7 00
Ladders	8 00
Fence wire ..	1 00
7 Cords manure	28 00
1 Cultivator	8 00
2 Plows	12 00
1 Harrow	5 00
Forks, shovels, picks, etc.	17 00
1 Stone roller	4 00
1 Wheelbarrow	3 00
2 Axes	1 00
1 Scythe and snath	2 00
1 Cross-cut saw	1 50
8 Drills	10 00
1 Stone hammer	1 50
10 Empty barrels	1 00
2 Cords wood	12 00
2 Wood saws and horse	3 00
1 Street lamp	5 00
5 Cuspidors	2 50
23 Iron bedsteads	80 00
20 Bed springs	57 50
2 Feather beds	10 00
21 Mattresses	60 00
45 Feather pillows	25 00
50 Pillow slips	10 00
70 Sheets	30 00
68 Blankets	68 00

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28	Bedspreads	\$25 00
55	Towels	5 50
5	Tablecloths	5 00
1	Hospital bed	30 00
	Shirts, stockings and underwear	30 00
	Lamps and lanterns	4 00
25	Lamp chimneys	1 50
1	Ice chest	40 00
	Wooden and tin ware	15 00
4	Tables	4 00
1	Walnut table	3 00
1	Extension table	8 00
9	Rocking chairs	9 00
50	Chairs	15 00
1	Wool carpet	25 00
	Brooms and brushes	6 00
2	Feather dusters	3 00
1	Carpet sweeper	2 50
3	Clothes wringers	12 50
	Coal hods and shovels	2 00
12	Dry fire extinguishers	20 00
175	feet hose	19 00
	Oats, corn and meal	12 00
1	Bread mixer	2 50
3	Hose hangers	75
1	Steel door mat	2 00
	Range and boiler	50 00
1	Peck measure	50
	Baskets	1 50

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1 Tobacco cutter.....	\$ 1 00
Bitstock and bits	3 50
2 Hand saws and planes	3 00
17 Tons of coal	119 00
7 Tons Franklin coal	56 00
1 Barrel flour	7 50
317 Pounds pork	50 72
50 Pounds lard	8 00
50 Pounds butter	18 75
200 Pounds sugar	12 00
10 Pounds tea	2 00
5 Pounds coffee	1 25
10 Pounds tobacco	4 50
40 Gallons oil	4 00
1 Kerosene tank	10 00
100 Preserve jars	10 00
70 Quarts preserves	7 00
70 Pounds beans	3 50
1 Barrel crackers.....	2 50
4 Screen doors	5 00
25 Window screens	15 00
2 Wash boilers.....	5 00
60 Pounds granulated soap	3 00
12 Bars soap	60
1 Oil stove	1 00
2 Clocks	3 00
2 Mirrors	2 00
Crockery ware	40 00
1 Washing machine	10 00

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20 Gallons molasses	\$ 8 00
4 Soapstone tubs	35 00
Sole leather	3 50
Vegetables	80 00
Toilet paper	3 00
	\$2,836 57

POOR OUT OF ALMSHOUSE

Paid sundry persons	\$3,056 30
Appropriation	\$2,500 00
Credits	78 77
Overdrawn	477 53

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

Paid sundry persons	\$431 06
No appropriation.	
To be refunded.	

PAY OF PHYSICIANS

Paid C. C. Farnham, M. D.	\$21 00
A. W. Myrick, M. D.	50 00
A. L. Chase, M. D.	50 00
George V. Higgins, M. D.	50 00
F. C. Granger, M. D.	50 00
	\$221 00
Appropriation	\$250 00
Unexpended	29 00

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CASH RECEIVED BY THE SELECTMEN

Sale of produce	\$238 99
Town teams	532 26
Board	195 00
Sale of Wagon	3 00
Aid refunded	172 26
	\$1,141 51

RANDOLPH, February 5, 1912.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

Estimates of Expenses for 1912

Schools	\$17,000 00
Miscellaneous	1,800 00
Almshouse	2,400 00
Poor out of Almshouse	2,800 00
Poor of Randolph and Holbrook	300 00
Soldiers' relief	200 00
Highways	3,500 00
Pay of physicians	250 00
Military Aid	250 00
Decoration of soldiers' graves	150 00
Street lighting	3,800 00
Treasurer's bond	120 00
Tax Collector's bond	40 00
Lockup	150 00
Special police	700 00
Water loan fund	2,500 00
Abatement of taxes	500 00
Town debt	4,500 00
Fire Department	2,926 00
Gypsy moth	900 00

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Tree warden	\$300 00
Board of Health	200 00
Births, marriages and deaths	150 00
Interest	3,000 00
Insurance	400 00
Street watering	500 00
Town officers	2,200 00
	\$51,536 00

List of Jurors

Bolin, August, South Main St.....	Farmer
Bromade, Fred, Allen St.....	Shoeworker
Casey, Peter, Pleasant St.....	Shoeworker
Clark, James B., Orchard St.....	Shoeworker
Clark, S. Melvin, Allen St.....	Retired
Carney, William F., Cottage St.....	Shoeworker
Daly, Michael J., Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Retired
Desmond, Jeremiah J., Pleasant St.....	Bookkeeper
Dunphy, James, Warren St.....	Shoeworker
Faunce, Hiram S., Lafayette St.....	Janitor
Flaherty, Edward, Silver St.....	Shoeworker
Forrest, Richard, North St.....	Shoeworker
Gill, John F., Ward St.....	Shoeworker
Good, Cornelius, North St.....	Laborer
Holbrook, Albert, Mt. Pleasant Sq.....	Carpenter
Holmes, Albert, Roel St.....	Retired
Huff, George S., North St.....	Shoeworker
Hill, Charles D., West St.....	Real Estate
Hadley, Elbridge J., North Main St.....	Retired
Jones, Herbert A., North St.....	Shoeworker

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Kiley, Patrick M., South St.....	Shoeworker
Lyons, Walter H., North Main St.....	Agent
Lyons, Daniel P., Cross St.....	Salesman
Long, James F., Cottage St.....	Shoeworker
Leavitt, William H., North Main St.....	Bookkeeper
Luddington, John R., Union St.....	Shoeworker
Makepeace, Edgar B., South Main St.....	Conductor
Mann, Edwin M., North Main St.....	Wood Dealer
Mahady, William, North St.....	Janitor
Mann, Rufus E., Pleasant St.....	Laborer
Mann, Walter A., West St.....	Florist
Mahoney, Dennis F., West St.....	Retired
Marcelle, John C., Center St.....	Laborer
McMahon, Joseph J., South St.....	Clerk
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel St.....	Newsdealer
McDonald, Joseph, North St.....	Retired
Moore, Bernard, Howard St.....	Janitor
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.....	Shoeworker
Nelson, David, South Main St.....	Farmer
O'Mahoney, Joseph W., Pleasant St.....	Clerk
Pope, David, Warren St.....	Retired
Reynolds, George A., High St.....	Farmer
Roel, George A., North Main St.....	Electrician
Shaw, Herman, South Main St.....	Shoeworker
Tileston, Frank H., North Main St.....	Florist
Wales, Charles A., North Main St.....	Retired
Willard, John K., North St.....	Tallow Dealer

Turner Free Library

Trustees, 1911

JOHN V. BEAL, *President.*

HENRY A. BELCHER, *Vice-President.*

N. IRVING TOLMAN, *Treasurer.*

WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, *Secretary.*

JOHN E. McDONALD, JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

JAMES H. DUNPHY,

SELECTMEN OF RANDOLPH, *Ex-Officiis,*

ASA P. FRENCH,

JOHN E. BRADLEY,

WINTHROP B. ATHERTON,

FRANK C. GRANGER,

HERBERT W. PRATT,

MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH, MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE,

MR. SETH TURNER CRAWFORD.

Librarian,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM.

Assistant Librarian,

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER.

Public Library

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-sixth annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seem of general interest.

The Library Committee (consisting of Mr. John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree, Mr. John E. Bradley and Mr. Seth Turner Crawford), with the assistance of the Librarian, have found the books, charts and furnishings in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Committee on Building (consisting of Messrs. Henry A. Belcher, Winthrop B. Atherton, N. Irving Tolman, John E. McDonald and James H. Dunphy) through its chairman, reports that the building is in fairly good condition, but that a building which is nearly forty years old needs repairing each year in order to meet the requirements of its occupancy.

As the appropriation which was asked for last year was overlooked by not inserting an article therefor in the town meeting warrant, the Treasurer was obliged to advance it from the library fund income, much to the inconvenience of the regular expenses of the library. To be in conformity with the terms of the donation, this advancement should be refunded, which with the estimated cost of repairs for the ensuing year would require two hundred and fifty dollars to be raised and appropriated by the town. It is earnestly desired that this request be complied with, and that a custom of appropriating a small sum each year for repairs be established.

The Committee on Finance (consisting of Messrs. Asa P. French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Herbert W. Pratt and Jeremiah J. Desmond) report as follows:

RANDOLPH, MASS., January 1, 1912.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

Your Committee on Finance submits the following report:

The Committee, through its Chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1911, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The Committee has also examined the securities representing the investment of the Library funds, and has found them intact and as shown by the schedule contained in the Treasurer's report. There has been no change in these securities during the past year.

ASA P. FRENCH,
Chairman.

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The report of the Librarian statistically showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the library, and the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the library are hereto subjoined.

The vacancy in the membership of the Board of Trustees caused by the resignation of Mrs. Clara A. Wales, has been filled by the election of Seth Turner Crawford, whom, being a grandson of one of the donors of the library and well qualified for the position, it was considered very appropriate to elect.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 1, 1912.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Turner Library,
Randolph, Mass.

Ladies and Gentlemen: Permit me to present for your consideration my thirty-sixth annual report, covering the library record for 1911.

During the year the library has been open for the borrowing of books 274 days, and for all purposes 288 days—the additional 14 days being required for the return of such books as are already in circulation.

The largest number charged in a single day was 486 on February 18. The smallest, 13, on February 7, and the total issue for the 274 days was 25,653—a daily average of 93. This record shows a slight decrease from that of 1910 which was 25,852, a daily average of 94.

I attribute the falling off largely to the very frequent occupancy of our public halls for entertainments of various kinds.

The accessions to the library from various sources have been: By purchase, 431; donation, 13; magazines bound, 25; Government publications, 184; making a total of 653. These added to the 22,870 reported in 1910 places our present number of accessioned books at 23,523.

Reference

As the use of the volumes in this department for examination or study is wholly unrestricted, it is of course impractic-

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cable to attempt to record their use statistically. Sufficient to say, that very excellent and satisfactory work has been accomplished in this room.

Bulletins

It is the purpose of the Librarian to print and have freely distributed semi-annual lists, giving authors and titles of all recent additions. The present bulletin will be ready for the public on January 1, 1912. Our special bulletin, known as the "Nature Study" list, designed especially for teachers and students, has been recently prepared and circulated.

Schools

It is the constant purpose of the officers of the library to co-operate in the higher educational work of the schools, as far as possible, and to accomplish this there have been loaned to the teachers for the benefit of their pupils 1,575 volumes, and it is my pleasure to gratefully acknowledge such assistance from the Superintendent of Schools and instructors as to make the success in this department especially gratifying.

Reading Room

While many librarians are noting more or less of disorder in this room, it is with gratitude to our Board of Trustees, and justice to our custodian, that such annoyances are with us unknown. Mr. Restarick not only secures the friendship and good will of patrons, but is able to maintain excellent discipline in and about the building. His annual report to

the librarian appears with the general statistical tables. Total attendance being 8,287, a daily average of 29.

Fines

The sum of forty-six dollars has been collected and paid to the Treasurer for fines incurred by patrons during the year.

Art Exhibits

The library has received from the Massachusetts Art Club 12 exhibits: Japan No. 1, Transportation, Japan No. 2, Indians, Egypt No. 2, Eighteenth Century Color Prints, Local No. 2, Rulers of Italy, Walter Crane No. 1, Wells' Cathedral, Cotton and Silk, Unger's etchings. These several exhibits constitute an important part of an extensive educational system, and each merits careful and critical study.

Gifts

Besides the 13 volumes and government publications mentioned under "Accessions" the library has received from the collection of the late Nelson Mann a generous supply of Memorial Day music. This supply would make a good beginning for a Musical department in our Library. I have no doubt that the people of the town have in their possession a considerable number of unused copies of standard musical works, such as oratorios, operas, masses, Jubilee "68" and "72," and kindred publications of merit, which they would gladly donate to the library for public service.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

There have been no changes in the employees at the library during the past year. Miss Belcher is proving almost invaluable in her position as assistant. In fact, our present staff can all be classed as experienced workers, and I am glad to express my thanks to each and all for loyal and efficient service, as well as to the Trustees for constant helpfulness and encouragement.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,
Librarian.

Randolph, Mass., December 30, 1911.

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STATISTICAL TABLE OF TURNER LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR 1911

1911	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total, 1911	Total, 1910	Total, 1909	Total, 1908
Number of days open	26	23	27	24	26	26	18 +6	16	25	25	25	25	274 +14 25,653	274 +14 25,653	274 +14 25,653	274 +14 25,653
Total circulation	2,603	2,797	2,413	2,372	2,505	2,210	327	1,204	1,690	2,299	2,446	2,787	25,653	25,852	26,298	25,040
Daily average circulation	100	122	89	99	96	85	55	75	68	92	98	111	93	94	97	91
Date of largest circulation	24th	18th	14th	18th	1st	14th	8th	28th	6th	30th	20th	30th				
Largest circulation	351	486	341	317	320	344	90	273	216	353	422	404	486	372	496	390
Date of smallest circulation	19th	7th	16th	28th	9th	7th	6th	31st	29th	27th	16th	22d				
Smallest circulation	25	13	24	34	30	23	22	14	24	16	24	30	13	10	15	4
Volumes added													653	593	486	561
Total volumes in library													23,523	22,870	22,277	21,791
Registered card holders													1,799			
Fines collected													\$46 00	\$45 00	\$32 00	\$44 00
Reading room attendance	1,050	970	891	761	652	488	226	394	531	545	962	817	8,287	9,654	8,180	4,257
Reading room daily average	37	42	33	32	25	18	13	24	21	22	38	33	29	34	30	

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM,
Librarian.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

January 1, 1912.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the requirements of the by-laws, I herewith submit my annual report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library:

Receipts

Income Turner Fund	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund	825 00
Rent Randolph Savings Bank.....	360 00
Rent Randolph Savings Bank from 1910	60 00
Rent C. Fred Lyons	250 00
Fines and Collections	46 00
Bank Fuel, 1910	82 16
Interest Boston Elevated Railroad Bonds.....	225 00
Interest on Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank ..	24 47
	\$2,374 63
Balance January 1, 1911	641 10
	\$3,015 73

Disbursements

Paid for books	\$474 55
Paid for periodicals	92 60

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Paid for book binding.....	\$75 87
Salary Librarian	600 00
Salary Assistant Librarian	250 00
Salary Janitor	150 00
Salary Custodian	99 96
Electric Light and Lamps	107 25
Supplies.....	33 52
Express	10 91
Coal	241 50
Printing.....	30 50
Safe Deposit Box.....	10 00
Post Office Box	1 95
Repairs	114 90
Art Club	6 00
Balance December 30, 1911.....	716 22
	\$3,015 73

The Turner Fund is invested in:

	EACH
1 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy bond.....	\$1,000 00
2 Chicago & West Michigan bonds	1,000 00
1 Old Colony R. R. bond	1,000 00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. bond	1,000 00
1 New York Central & H. R. R.R. bond	1,000 00
2 Detroit Grand Rapids & Western bonds.....	500 00
3 Union Pacific bonds	500 00
33 Shares Preferred Stock Union Pacific R. R. ..	

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The Royal W. Turner Fund is invested in:

10 Old Colony bonds of	\$1,000 00
5 American Tel. bonds.....	1,000 00
5 New York Tel. bonds	1,000 00

and \$625 deposited in Randolph Savings Bank.

The remaining funds are invested in 5 Boston Elevated R. R. bonds of \$1,000 each.

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN,

Treasurer.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
FOR 1911

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

EDWARD LONG, *Chairman*

REDMOND P. BARRETT, *Secretary*

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND	Term expires 1912
REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1914

Trustees of the Stetson School Fund

EDWARD LONG, *Chairman*

REDMOND P. BARRETT, *Secretary*

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND	Term expires 1912
REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1914

Superintendent of Schools

F. T. REYNOLDS

Residence, Randolph

Telephone, Randolph 62-W

Office,

Residence, North Main Street

Regular meeting of the School Committee, last Friday of the month, 7:30 P.M.

SCHOOL CALENDAR, 1912-1913

Open 1 January, 1912	
Close 29 March	13 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Open 15 April	
Close 21 June	10 weeks
Summer vacation 10 weeks	
Open 9 September	15 weeks
Close 20 December	15 weeks
Vacation 2 weeks	
Open 6 January, 1913	
Close 14 March	10 weeks
Vacation 1 week	
Open 24 March	
Close 20 June	13 weeks

Legal Holidays in term time: 22 February, 1912; 19 April, 1912; 30 May, 1912; Thanksgiving Day, 1912; 30 May, 1913.

Report of School Committee

RANDOLPH, MASS., December 30, 1911.

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Complying with the statutes of the Commonwealth the School Committee submits its annual report for the year ending December 30, 1911.

An account of the progress of the schools together with the usual school statistics will be found in the report of the Superintendent.

At the annual meeting in March the town appropriated \$1,800 for the purpose of placing a steam heating plant and sanitary closets in the Prescott Primary building.

During the summer vacation this important work was completed, making conditions in this building all that could be reasonably desired.

Four buildings, viz.: Stetson High School, Prescott Grammar, Prescott Primary and North Grammar are now provided with steam heating plants and sanitary closets.

In addition to repairs of minor importance, the following improvements have been made during the year. A new

fence enclosing the Prescott Primary playground, refinishing the desks in grades I and II in the Prescott Primary School, one of the class rooms in the Prescott Grammar has been entirely renovated, and at the West Corners School the chimney was partially rebuilt.

At the North Grammar School the overcrowded condition already referred to in previous reports increases.

The matter has been thoroughly gone over by the Committee, Superintendent and Principal, and they have decided that the only permanent relief will be the erection of a new eight-room building in the near future.

For the present, it is thought that by making a limited number of transfers some relief will be afforded, or one of the unoccupied rooms in the Prescott Primary could be utilized.

In April, Mr. Watson C. Lea tendered his resignation to take effect at the close of the school year. The joint committee of the district held several meetings in the town of Holbrook and from a large number of applicants elected Mr. Fordyce T. Reynolds, whose work since coming to us has been most satisfactory.

The school census of 1911 shows the number of children between the ages of five and fifteen to be 766, a loss of 6 over 1910.

A detailed statement of receipts and expenditures in this department for the year ending December 30, 1911, is annexed to this report.

The Committee asks the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the school expenses for the year ending December 31, 1912:

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

For Teaching.....	\$8,489 00
Care of rooms	1,331 00
Fuel	1,200 00
Books and supplies	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils	350 00
Superintendent of Schools	600 00
School Committee	300 00
Stetson High School	3,000 00
School Physician	100 00
	\$17,670 00

Less estimated revenue from dog tax:

State School fund and Coddington

Fund \$1,100 00

State, for Superintendent of Schools 300 00

State, for salary of teachers.... 200 00

\$1,600 00

\$16,070 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,

R. P. BARRETT,

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

School Committee.

SCHOOL EXPENSES, 1911

Teaching (38 weeks)

Paid Nelson Freeman, 38 weeks	\$1,000 00
Joseph Belcher, 38 weeks	1,000 00
Katherine A. Kiley, 34 weeks	459 00
Hanna F. Hoyer, 38 weeks	494 00
Katherine E. Sheridan, 38 weeks	484 50
Mary E. Wren, 38 weeks	465 50
Ellen E. McLaughlin, 38 weeks	465 50
Fannie A. Campbell, 38 weeks	465 50
Kitty R. Molloy, 38 weeks	465 50
Ellen P. Henry, 38 weeks	503 50
Sara C. Belcher, 38 weeks	465 50
Fanny M. Devine, 38 weeks	465 50
Clara A. Tolman, 38 weeks	465 50
Katherine J. Riley, 37 weeks	453 25
Mary F. Forrest, 38 weeks	395 00
Mrs. Edw. A. Powderly, 4 weeks	54 00
Ethel L. Buck	156 00
Rose G. Hand	125 00
Miss McGerrigle, carfare	10 50
Miss E. C. Dill, carfare	4 00
	\$8,397 25

SUPERINTENDENT

Paid Watson C. Lea	\$300 00
F. T. Reynolds	300 00
	\$600 00

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FUEL

Paid M. E. Leahy, Coal.....	\$438 75
Randolph Coal Co., Coal	501 19
F. Dianto, coal	236 25
Edwin M. Mann, wood	33 50
M. E. Leahy, wood	15 75
Wm. Carroll, wood	4 00
	\$1,229 44

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

Paid Educational Pub. Co.....	\$40 00
L. E. Knott Appr. Co.....	70 23
Benj. Sanborn	3 25
Robt. Burlen.....	1 00
Laurel Book Co.....	10 90
Silver, Burdette Co.....	47 93
Chandler Pub. Co.	36 00
Oliver Ditson.....	28 33
McKinley Pub. Co.	4 80
Hunt Pen Co.	60
D. C. Heath	37 20
Am. Book Co.....	172 95
Allyn & Bacon	5 21
Wadsworth Howland	16 95
Underwood Typewriter Co.....	2 00
Smith Premier Typewriter Co.	36 25
Remington Typewriter Co.	58 40

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Paid J. L. Hammet Co.	\$228 98
Ginn & Co.	246 61
Cook Vivian	37 90
E. E. Babb Co.	217 37
Kenny Bros. & Wolkins	161 60
White Smith Co.	5 00
	\$1,469 46

CARE OF ROOMS

Paid John P. Rooney	\$409 00
Wm. Mahedy	549 96
A. S. Frier	233 71
Wm. Carroll	18 82
Mrs. E. Holbrook	43 00
Benj. Moore	6 00
	\$1,260 49

TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS

Paid Old Colony St. Railway Co.	\$120 00
Bay State St. Railway Co.	120 00
	\$240 00

GENERAL EXPENSE

Paid Frank Harris	\$54 30
Suffolk Electrotpe Co.	5 70
Dexter Clark	3 00
Benj. Mann	19 01

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Paid R. E. O'Brien	\$138 22
Chandler Barber Co.	10 21
Lyons Express	4 90
F. W. Hayden	29 83
R. & H. Electric Light Co.	5 20
Chas. Cole	5 00
Old Colony Piano Co.	45 00
W. E. Sheldon	2 00
E. A. Perry	32 50
E. L. Buck	1 02
Talbot Chem. Co.	2 00
M. E. Leahy	3 00
Jas. Devine	2 00
Jos. Belcher	7 87
N. Freeman	1 25
P. H. McLaughlin	1 34
Forbes Lith. Co.	24 88
W. C. Lea	96
C. E. Lyons	11 75
Standard Print Co.	2 85
Walter Hickey	110 00
John P. Rooney	5 00
Jas. F. Hurley	10 00
John C. Fennelly	83 20
L. Faretra	5 70
Sturgis C. Baxter	4 00
John Carter	4 20
Geo. F. Taylor	247 25
Fred Spear	30 00

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Paid A. S. Frier	\$1 74
E. L. Payne	20 00
F. J. Donohue	20 00
W. F. Barrett	20 00
C. Fred Lyons	14 67
Stone & Forsyth	18 00
Frank Columbo	4 50
E. W. Campagna	27 52
Geo. A. Roel	1 50
John P. Hanley	4 50
M. F. Reid	27 74

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Paid Edw. Long	\$100 00
R. P. Barrett	100 00
J. J. Desmond	100 00
	\$300 00

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Paid Geo. V. Higgins, M. D.	\$100 00
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IMPROVEMENTS NO. 8 PRIMARY BUILDING

Paid R. E. O'Brien, heating contract	\$650 00
Sanitary closets, etc., contract	550 00
E. W. Campagna, carpenter contract	477 00
E. W. Campagna, carpenter, extras	17 71
	\$1,694 71

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

SUMMARY

Received General appropriation, net.....	\$15,544 00
Appropriation, Improvements No. 8	
building	1,800 00
From State on acct. of Supt.	500 00
State School Fund	832 10
Dog tax	494 48
Int. Coddington Fund	64 00
Tuition, State wards	156 50
M. Steinert Sons	3 00
Total	\$19,394 08
 Paid for Teaching	 \$8,397 25
Superintendent	600 00
Fuel	1,229 44
Books and supplies	1,469 46
Care of rooms	1,260 49
Transportation of pupils	240 00
General exp., miscellaneous	1,073 31
School Committee	300 00
School Physician	100 00
Improvements No. 8 building	1,694 71
Secretary S. H. S. Fund	3,000 00
Total	\$19,364 66
 Balance unexpended.....	 \$29 42

Stetson School Fund

REPORT OF TRUSTEES

To the Citizens of Randolph:

There has been no change in the investment of this fund since our last report. During the year the State Inspector of Buildings gave orders to provide better means of egress in the rear of Stetson Hall.

The expense of this work as well as the rewiring was much greater than we anticipated. We hope, however, that the increased revenue from this outlay will in a short time repay the expenditure.

The fund is now invested as follows, the valuation being at par.

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% bonds	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds.	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4% bonds	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00

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8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank.....	\$800 00
5 Shares Peoples' National Bank	500 00
4 Shares State National Bank	400 00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas Company	200 00
	\$19,342 66

The Turner Medal Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis, Minn., bond, \$1,000.00.

The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,
R. P. BARRETT,
J. J. DESMOND,

Trustees Stetson School Fund.

SEVENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

RANDOLPH, January 22, 1912.

The undersigned, Selectmen of Randolph; having this day made an examination of the accounts of the Trustees of the Stetson High School Fund for the year 1911, find them correct.

The investments for the fund are as follows, viz.:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4% joint bonds at \$1,000	\$7,000 00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4% bonds at \$1,000	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4% bonds at \$1,000..	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
10 Shares Atlantic National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00
8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5 Shares Peoples' National Bank	500 00
4 Shares State National Bank	400 00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas Company	200 00
	\$19,342 66

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

We also find in the hands of the Secretary a \$1,000 bond of the City of Minneapolis, Minn., the investment for the Turner Fund.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
JAMES H. DUNPHY,
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

Selectmen.

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Dr. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ACCOUNT WITH	
1911	
To balance of old account	\$4 91
Town appropriation and extras	3,400 00
Bank dividends, Atlantic	\$60 00
Webster & Atlas	56 00
Old Boston	50 00
Boylston	50 00
Peoples'	30 00
State	28 00
	274 00
Interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds	280 00
Interest on American Telephone & Telegraph bonds	80 00
Interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds	80 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	138 04
Lawrence Gas Company, dividend	16 00
Rent of hall for the year	447 50
	\$4,720 45

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THE STETSON HIGH SCHOOL FUND

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1911	
By paying	
F. E. Chapin, salary	\$1,399 93
Nellie M. Stearns, salary	599 97
M. Mabel Cassidy, salary	600 02
Mary H. Warren, salary	525 16
Margaret M. Noland, salary	500 05
Rose G. Hand, musical instructor	75 00
Randolph Coal Co., coal	94 50
Edson N. Roel, labor and materials	307 18
H. F. Libby, labor and materials	344 73
R. E. O'Brien, labor and materials	32 06
Estate Chas. Doughty, lighting and supplies	104 83
Bernard Moore, supplies, etc.	6 75
A. E. Perry, labor	1 00
Loring & Howard, shades	35 00
E. W. Campagna, labor and materials	8 38
Dexter T. Clark, cleaning clock	3 00
Geo. A. Roel, labor and materials	1 00
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies	40
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	20 23
Edwin M. Mann, wood	8 00
Timothy J. Clifford, labor	2 00
F. E. Chapin, cash paid	1 25
James Fardy, supplies	1 00
Trustees and secretary, services	20 00
Balance	29 01
	\$4,720 45

Randolph, January 22, 1912.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson High School Fund, and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
JAMES H. DUNPHY,
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

Selectmen of Randolph.

REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

Report of the Superintendent of Schools

RANDOLPH, December 30, 1911.

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I submit herewith my first annual report, the eleventh in the series of superintendent's reports.

SUMMARY FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1911

Population of Randolph, census of 1910 4,301

Children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, school
census of September, 1911:

Boys 399

Girls 367

Total 766

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Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of compulsory attendance), school census of September, 1911:

Boys	317
Girls.....	306
Total	623

Number enrolled in all schools during year 1910-1911:

Boys	390
Girls.....	389
Total	779

Average membership	726
Average attendance	686
Per cent. of attendance	94
Pupils under five years of age	3
Pupils between 5 and 15	697
Pupils between 7 and 14	505
Pupils over 15	67
Number of grade promotions (excluding high school).	545
Number of school buildings	6
Number of schools keeping separate registers	16
Number of regular teachers	20
Number of special teachers: Drawing, 1; Music, 1...	2
Number of teachers who have graduated from college.	4

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Number who have graduated from normal school.....	5
Number who have attended normal school without graduating	1
Number of different pupils attending High School, 1910-1911	125
Number graduated from High School 1911; Boys, 9; Girls, 12; Total	21
Number admitted to High School, September, 1911..	49
Number graduated from eighth grade, June, 1911.....	56

ANNUAL ENROLLMENT FOR PAST TEN YEARS

1902	715
1903.....	695
1904.....	712
1905.....	699
1906.....	726
1907.....	729
1908.....	716
1909.....	762
1910.....	769
1911.....	779

ENROLLMENT

At close of First month ending September, 1911, was 796
Second month ending October, 1911, was 807
Third month ending November, 1911, was 801

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PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL TOWN ENROLLMENT FOUND IN HIGH SCHOOL

1909.....	16.1%
1910.....	16.6%
1911.....	16 %

SIGHT AND HEARING TESTS

Year	Number enrolled	Defective in eyesight	Defective in hearing	Parents and Guardians notified
1907	697	122	25	74
1908	748	125	38	94
1909	732	137	32	113
1910	720	107	17	68
1911	767	97	17	54

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATES, CLASS OF 1911

Latin Course

Alice Marie Hayden	Elizabeth O'Neil
Gertrude Weston Niles	Margaret Alice Strickland

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English Course

Richard Adams Barrett	Mary Agnes Leahy
Mary Loretta Barry	Anna Margaret Long
Ralph Nichols Boyd	Evelyn Monica Mahan
Frank Henry Bromade	Ellis Hall Mann
Charles Gabriel Devine	Blanche Celina Marcille
Joseph Emmett Heney	Joseph Michael Murphy
Gertrude Mary Henneberry	Florence James Roddan
Thomas Aloysius Kennedy	Elizabeth Margaret Sheehan
Herbert Augustus Townes	

NORTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

GRADUATES, CLASS OF 1911

T. Elmer Bailey	Hazel A. Hewins
Leverett E. Cass	Laura G. Holbrook
Wm. H. Carroll	Jennie M. Hollis
Robert M. Gove	Marion C. Hurley
Carl B. Hinkley	Marie R. Larson
Roger L. Niles	Ruth L. Mann
Chester W. Paine	Mary A. Meaney
H. Franklin Porter	Rose L. Meaney
John R. Thompson	Ethel M. Parker
Dorothy E. Dee	Vivian M. Shurtleff
Gladys M. Harris	Marion Truelson

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

PRESCOTT GRAMMAR SCHOOL

GRADUATES, CLASS OF 1911

Agnes M. Conlon	Edith Hansalpakar
Fabian E. Hogan	Timothy O'Neil
George P. Bancroft	Henry C. Dillon
Grace Marie Gilgan	Alice M. Keith
Amy R. Whalen	Edward J. Sullivan
Aloysius Murphy	John T. Kiley
Dwight W. Boyd	Agnes McAvoy
Joseph Dench	Barbara Hoyer
Gertrude Cahill	Edith F. Linfield
Arthur E. Curtis	Harry W. Messier
Ethel B. Pettee	Annie Madigan
J. Malcolm McNeil	Augustus Forrest
Thomas O'Keefe	Gertrude Kane
Hubert Powderly	E. Raymond Long
Margaret McAuliffe	Mary I. Rae
Edith E. Simmons	Mary L. Laughlin
Alice J. Marcille	James B. Dowd

The work of the present school year began favorably, with no changes in the teaching force. Miss Kiley of the Prescott School was seriously ill during the month of September and her room was in charge of Mrs. Powderly. The teachers are striving to increase the efficiency of the schools along practical, as well as scholastic lines. Arithmetic has received extra attention this year with particular emphasis

upon oral explanations and practical problems. This is important work and is to be carried on until good results can be reported. The Tarr and McMurry geographies were introduced this year and the work is progressing satisfactorily in this branch.

The special teachers of drawing and music have carried on their work successfully, as in the past.

The North Grammar School is overcrowded and the condition at present demands immediate relief. Principal Joseph Belcher has been doing the work of two teachers for several years, in addition to his duties as principal of the school. This year student teachers have been helping in the seventh grade, thus relieving the situation somewhat. The principal of the Bridgewater Normal School has sent practice teachers of more than usual ability. The students thus sent out receive carfare from the town and also good opportunity to observe excellent teaching and to gain some valuable experience. The third and fourth grade room of this building has more pupils than seats, and four children have to sit at the teacher's desk. In this room we are indebted to a student of Thayer Academy for assistance in the afternoon.

At the Prescott School we have about the right number of pupils in each room and, with one grade for each teacher, it means that the pupils ought to be well prepared for the high school after completing the work of the eighth grade under the thorough training of Principal Nelson Freeman.

Forty-five pupils are enrolled at the West Corner School and over thirty at Tower Hill.

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The High School has registered 144 pupils this fall. It will be only a few years before more room will be necessary in this building if the enrollment increases as it has in the past. The work has been good, and the splendid school spirit is a testimony to the zeal and efficiency of Principal F. E. Chapin and his assistants. The school has been fortunate in receiving a number of gifts from the different classes and friends of the school. One of these gifts is a very fine oil painting which was presented by Mrs. James Henry Wales and Alberta Gove Wales. The typewriting room has been equipped with new machines. The science department should have more apparatus added from time to time. The laboratory has been connected with the gas main in order to secure the benefits derived from the use of Bunsen burners in some of the experiments.

It is hoped that the schools in the district may organize in such a way that the grammar and high schools can form a league for baseball and basketball games.

Since September, 1911, the superintendent has granted nine work certificates to children qualified to receive them. Before giving a certificate to any person it is necessary, in addition to the age requirement, for the prospective employer to give a written statement that he will give employment to the one in question. A statement is also required from a physician saying that the boy or girl named is physically able to perform the work offered.

Parents are urged to keep their children in school as long as they possibly can, even though they may wish to go to work at the age of fourteen. This will relieve many from

the regret, when it is too late, of not having had a more complete education.

Thrift has been added to the list of required subjects to be taught in the public schools of the state. Many towns have adopted plans similar to the postal savings banks, by which method pupils are furnished with cards to which stamps amounting to the sum of one dollar may be affixed. The stamps are sold to the pupils by the teachers and weekly collections are made by the bank, or banks, designated as school banks by the school committee. The plan has worked to good advantage in many places and hundreds of dollars have been saved that ordinarily go for the purchase of candy and chewing gum. With a bank in town that will open accounts of one dollar or more and a postal savings bank at the post office it hardly seems necessary to burden the teachers with any more duties. Children should be encouraged to save money and start a bank account.

Medical inspection has helped our schools in many ways this year, and the teachers are aided by the school physician in cases where professional advice is necessary. The school physician's report is given in another section of this report.

Every school day should have sessions for the benefit of those pupils who are anxious to make the most of every day in their school careers. However, in the few rare cases when the weather is such that the health of the pupils may be endangered, it seems wise to make some provision for a no session signal for the High School; also for a special signal for the four lower grades, to be used when a storm may not be severe enough to keep any except the very young children

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at home. The time for these new signals may be found on another page.

The Turner Library has been of real service to the schools because of the willingness of the librarian and his assistants to help the teachers and pupils in their selection of books. The special privileges allowed the teachers are heartily appreciated.

Parents are cordially invited to visit the schools at any time in order to inspect the work or to confer with the teachers. The superintendent wishes to be helpful to everyone interested in school work.

Randolph is fortunate in having three principals who are men of ability and devoted to their work and teachers who are faithful and ready to co-operate in the work of education. The power of personality is very great. Many of our teachers, whether consciously or not, are giving daily lessons in punctuality, neatness, self-control, courtesy and thoughtfulness for others, which cannot fail to influence the characters developing under their care, making these future men and women better citizens.

I wish to thank the school committee for their advice and the principal and teachers for their help and good will in the work during the past four months.

Respectfully submitted,

F. T. REYNOLDS.

APPENDIX TO REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

SEVENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

TABULAR STATEMENT, 1910-1911

Schools	Grades	Teachers	Boys	Girls	Total enrollment	Average membership	Average attendance	Per cent of Attendance	Roll of Honor	Grade promotions
Stetson High	XII	F. E. Chapin, Principal	10	12	22	117.71	113.76	96.59	6	
	XI	Nellie M. Stearns	7	15	22					
	X	Margaret M. Cassidy	13	24	37					
	IX	Mary H. Warren	18	26	44					
		Margaret M. Noland								
Prescott	VIII	Nelson Freeman, Principal	24	21	45	40.72	39.66	97.38	8	34
	VII	Katherine A. Kiley	22	16	38					
	VI	Hannah F. Hoye	18	20	38					
	V	Katherine E. Sheridan	26	19	45					
	IV	Mary E. Wren	30	15	45					
North	III	Ellen E. McLaughlin	26	25	51	48.33	45.16	93.88	10	40
	II	Fannie A. Campbell	16	18	34					
	I	Kittie R. Molloy	26	30	56					
	VIII	Joseph Belcher, Principal	10	14	24					
	VII	Joseph Belcher, Principal	22	23	45					
Tower Hill	VI	Ellen P. Henry	16	13	29	29.17	27.35	93.76	1	28
	V	Sarah C. Belcher	20	17	37					
	IV	Fannie M. Devine	14	15	29					
	VII	Fannie M. Devine	9	15	24					
	II	Clara A. Tolman	9	15	24					
West Corner	I	Clara A. Tolman	10	15	25	43	37.88	88.2	0	17
	IV	Mary F. Forrest	3	3	6					
	III	Mary F. Forrest	4	1	5					
	II	Mary F. Forrest	6	3	9					
	I	Mary F. Forrest	4	2	6					
West Corner	III	Katherine J. Riley	8	4	12	36.07	33.59	93.12	2	15
	II	Katherine J. Riley	9	4	13					
	I	Katherine J. Riley	10	4	14					
		Totals	390	389	779					
						726.01	686.42	94.55	46	545

Roll of Honor, 1910-1911

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NOT ABSENT, TARDY OR DISMISSED

(Figures at the right of each name show the number of terms perfect.)

STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Richard Barrett, 1	G. F. Mahoney, 1
Mary L. Barry, 1	J. E. Mason, 1
Esther L. Blomquist, 1	R. C. McMahon, 2
Ralph Boyd, 2	Anna Morgan, 1
Wm. Cunningham, 2	Mae Morgan, 1
Leon Crothers, 1	C. H. McGrath, 1
Terence Dargan, 2	Marion McNulty, 1
George T. Dolan, 1	Elizabeth O'Neil, 1
Charles G. Devine, 3	Alta Payne, 2
Kathleen Donovan, 1	Elva Plunkett, 1
Thomas Dowd, 1	Jennie Preble, 2
Harold Eddy, 2	Arthur Roel, 2
Sumner Eddy, 1	Jos. Rudderham, 1

Elmer French, 1
Alice Hayden, 3
J. C. Henderson, 2
Jos. Henry, 1
Svea Johnson, 3
Gertrude Kelly, 3
Marshall Leavitt, 2
Mary Leahy, 1
Wm. Leahy, 1
Ellis Mann, 1

Elizabeth Sheehan, 3
Gertrude Sullivan, 1
Mary Spencer, 2
Herbert Towns, 1
Ruth Walsh, 3
John Walsh, 2
Florence Webster, 2
Rena Wrisley, 2
Martin Young, 2

PRESCOTT VIII

Fabian E. Hogan, 3
Gertrude Kane, 3
Alice M. Keith, 3
John T. Kiley, 3
Alice J. Marcille, 3
Harry W. Messier, 3
Hubert Powderly, 3
Edith Simmons, 3
Arthur E. Curtis, 2
James B. Dowd, 2
Arthur C. Finn, 2
Barbara Hoyer, 2
J. Malcolm McNeill, 2
Mary J. Rae, 2
Agnes M. Conlon, 1

George P. Bancroft, 1
Dwight W. Boyd, 1
Joseph Dench, 1
Henry C. Dillon, 1
Grace M. Gilgan, 1
Edith Hansalpakar, 1
Mary L. Laughlin, 1
Edith F. Linfield, 1
E. Raymond Long, 1
Annie Madigan, 1
Margaret McAuliffe, 1
Agnes McAvoy, 1
Thomas O'Keeffe, 1
Ethel B. Pettee
Edward J. Sullivan, 1

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PRESCOTT VII

Leona Hogan, 3	Heiman Greenberg, 1
Marion Leavitt, 3	Annie Jezyk, 1
Edward Roddan, 3	Thomas Lyons, 1
Harold Eddy, 2	Everett Madan, 1
Emily McNulty, 2	Charles Meaney, 1
Henry Morgan, 2	Edward O'Brien, 1
Leonard Plunkett, 2	John O'Brien, 1
Letitia Scannell, 2	Walter O'Leary, 1
Sigfred Bolin, 1	Francis O'Neil, 1
Walter Carney, 1	Anna Sullivan, 1
John Collins, 1	Marjorie Sullivan, 1
James Donovan, 1	

PRESCOTT VI

Albert Bolin, 1	Catharine Lynch, 3
Anna Brady, 1	Anna Leahy, 2
Helen Burns, 1	Frank Mahoney, 1
Mary Clarke, 1	Fred Mahoney, 1
Julia Conroy, 1	Louis Mulligan, 3
Emory Deland, 1	Hattie Neary, 1
Alice Desmond, 2	Mary O'Leary, 1
Isabel Dolan, 1	Mary Rae, 2
Mabel Foster, 1	Margaret Rohlf, 1
Walter Good, 2	Russell Towns, 1
John Gill, 2	John Walsh, 1
Flora Hayden, 2	Ralph Walsh, 1

PRESCOTT V

Eldon Johnson, 3	Joseph Condon, 1
Charles Marcille, 3	William Condon, 1
Grace Donovan, 3	Bert Hansalpakar, 1
Vincent Dolan, 2	Harry Isaac, 1
Hubert Gilligan, 2	Francis McNeil, 1
Richard Walsh, 2	Wm. Rooney, 1
May Campbelle, 2	Agnes Britton, 1
May Griffirin, 2	Elizabeth Good, 1
Mary O'Brien, 2	Aurora Nelson, 1
Thomas Bates, 1	Stephen Molloy, 1
Morgan Baxter, 1	Robert Hayden, 1

PRESCOTT IV

Louis Decota, 2	Russell Leavitt, 1
Edward Brennan, 2	Warren McCarthy, 1
Ray Kiley, 2	Arthur Messier, 1
Eustace Scannell, 2	Roderick White, 1
Louis Crovo, 1	Dorothy Carney, 1
Frank Morgan, 1	Marie Dean, 1
Raymond McGerigle, 1	Elizabeth Hand, 1
John Sullivan, 1	Mary O'Brien, 1
Reginald Hogan, 1	

PRESCOTT III

James Bradley, 3	Ruth Luddington, 1
James Clark, 1	Katherine McGaughey, 3
Daniel Donovan, 3	Alice O'Brien, 1

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Russell Kiley, 3	Marion Toomey, 1
John Lynch, 2	Mary Walsh, 1
John O'Brien, 1	Katherine Croud, 2
Frank Devlin, 2	Eva Dusablon, 1
Amy Campbell, 1	Minnie Cantwell, 2
Mary Conroy, 1	Blanche Hayden, 1
Marguerite Dianto, 1	Gladys Kane, 1
Frances Good, 1	Cecelia Stevens, 1
Elizabeth Kiley, 2	

PRESCOTT II

Geneva Benson, 2	Francis Kelliher, 1
Jennie Lynch, 3	Charles Stevens, 1
Helen Nolen, 2	Norma Cozzotti, 2
Beatrice Scannel, 1	Ethel Greenberg, 1
Georgianna Benson, 3	Margaret Clark, 1
James Hogan, 1	Anna Mullen, 1

PRESCOTT I

Warren Mansfield, 1	Louis Greenberg, 2
Lawrence Shurtleff, 1	James Neary, 2
Elizabeth Mulligan, 1	Kenneth Croud, 2
Elizabeth Condon, 1	Louise Jaquith, 2
Eva Hayden, 1	Charles Mahoney, 2
Kathryn Gaynor, 1	Edward O'Leary, 2
Katharine Mullen, 1	John Dacey, 2

William Benson, 2	James Gaynor, 2
Norman Keith, 2	Charles Miller, 2
Harold Walsh, 2	Arthur Dolan, 2
Frank Forrest, 2	Margaret Donovan, 2

NORTH VII-VIII

H. Franklin Porter, 2	Gladys E. DeForrest, 1
Robert M. Gove, 1	Hazel M. Jones, 1
Dorothy E. Dee, 2	Jennie A. Schultz, 2
Marie R. Larsen, 3	Rosella R. Stetson, 1
Marion Truelson, 2	Beatrice L. Stevens, 2
Dale M. Allen, 3	Elberta B. White, 1
Edgar F. Beers, 2	Bertha M. Lovering, 1
George Bean, 3	Mary Patten, 1
Arthur Brennan, 3	William W. Thomas, 2
Thomas Kenney, 3	Rudolph Sitcowich, 2
Horace A. Mann, 1	Carlton B. Lyons, 1
Winnifred Brennan, 1	Hazel G. Stetson, 1
Edith A. Bryant, 1	Viola F. Woods, 1
Florence E. Burrett, 1	Laura G. Holbrook, 1

NORTH VI

Marion A. Webster, 3	John E. Pomeroy, 1
Persis J. Nunes, 1	Walter Stampe, 1
Helen Anderson, 1	Harold Kaulback, 1
Chester E. Claff, 1	Patrick Harrington, 1

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NORTH V

Elvera H. Anderson, 1	Rodney V. Dee, 3
Anna Carroll, 1	Errold N. Grasse, 1
Mary Currey, 1	Harold Kaulback, 1
Florence A. Pinkerton, 1	L. Carlton McGrath, 1
Carl Bustard, 2	Russell Niles, 3
Frederick Dee, 2	Lovell W. Pulson, 2

NORTH III-IV

Ida E. Burrell, 3	Carlton Wrisley, 1
Marion Burrell, 1	Dwight Scott, 3
Alice McEntee, 1	Gertrude Robinson, 1
Roscoe Brennan, 1	John Kenney, 1
Reginald Pulson, 2	

NORTH II

Joseph Connell, 2	Helen McEntee, 1
Marjorie Crimmins, 1	Nellie Brennan, 1

NORTH I

Mary Foster, 1

TOWER HILL I-II-III-IV

Helen Carroll, 3

Francis Lyons, 1

Thomas A. Lyons, 1

Karl L. Macaulay, 2

Ernest Hylen, 1

Thomas Tapp, 1

WEST CORNER I-II-III

John Cederholm, 2

Edward H. Duffy, 2

Robert O. Franke, 1

Russell K. Matheson, 2

Russell Hewins, 1

Mary C. Kenney, 1

Florence Gaffey, 1

Arthur J. Kaulback, 3

Walter A. Larsen, 3

Eldon D. Taber, 1

Report of the School Physician

RANDOLPH, December 31, 1911.

To the School Committee and Citizens of Randolph:

Gentlemen,—I have the honor of submitting to you the first annual report of school physician in this town.

During the past year the office of school physician was established in Randolph, and in that time all children having entered school have been examined in regard to tonsils, care of teeth and hair. On an average I find the children in very good physical condition, and where suggestions have been made, extremely good results have followed.

In regard to school buildings, we are handicapped in the system of ventilation, especially in North Grammar building. The rooms are greatly overcrowded and good work cannot be accomplished by any teacher under such conditions.

This question is one of vital importance and of a very difficult solution, and one for authority on such matters to decide.

During the year two cases of diphtheria developed and the rooms were immediately fumigated and no further cases

were found. A few cases of measles and varicella were found and those children isolated.

After this office of school physician has been established a few years the good results will be more plainly seen, and, I am sure, greatly regarded by the parents of all school children.

I wish to thank the superintendent, school committee and teachers for their hearty co-operation in this work.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. V. HIGGINS, M. D.

Report of Fire Department

RANDOLPH, MASS., January 2, 1912.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen,—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department for the year 1911.

The Department organized May 1, 1911, as follows:

BOARD OF ENGINEERS

James E. Blanche, chief of department.

George A. Roel, first assistant engineer.

Richard F. Forrest, second assistant engineer.

George A. Roel, clerk of board.

On October 21 Chief Blanche passed away very suddenly, and appropriate action was taken by his assistants and carried out in a befitting manner.

In December Michael F. Sullivan was appointed to the board, and on December 28 reorganization was effected for balance of term.

Richard Forrest, chief of department.

George A. Roel, first assistant and clerk.

M. F. Sullivan, second assistant.

APPARATUS AND COMPANIES

Hose Wagon 1—Driver, Frank Harris.

Hose Wagon 2—Driver, P. Joseph Riley.

Ladder Truck 1—Driver, John Croud.

Chemical 1—Driver, James E. Blanche.

Hose Co. 1—12 men, John P. Rooney, Foreman.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, George L. Stetson, Foreman.

Ladder 1—9 men, Charles Dolan, Foreman.

Chemical 1—10 men, Edward F. Meaney, Foreman.

THE RECORD OF FIRES FOR 1911

Jan. 3—Box 43. Alarm at 9.40 P. M. for fire in a two tenement frame dwelling on Roel Street, owned and occupied by Gibb Bodreau, on first floor, a front room used as a barber shop. Upper tenement not occupied at the time. Cause not definitely determined. Loss covered by insurance. All out signal 11.20 P. M.

Jan. 29—Box 42. Alarm at 9.12 P. M. for fire in frame building on North Main Street, owned by Urma C. Copeland of Wareham. Occupied on north side street floor by

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C. Fred Jaquith as a provision store; south side unoccupied; second floor, Randolph Brass Band, as a band room. Store badly gutted and building damaged to extent of \$350. All loss covered by insurance. Origin, incendiary. All out signal 10.45 P. M.

Feb. 21—Box 23. Alarm at 5.17 P. M. for fire in dwelling (wood) owned and occupied by Timothy Kelliher, South Main Street. This was a very stubborn fire, as it had a good start between partitions and blind attics and the weather was very cold, making it hard to combat in a quick manner. Caused by overheated smoke pipe on heater in cellar. Practically a total loss to building and contents. All out signal 8.40 P. M.

Feb. 23—Box 27. Alarm at 7.28 P. M. Slight fire in small cottage off South Street owned by John Sylvester and occupied by Mrs. Hattie A. Shaw. Cause supposed to be hot coal dropped under stove in kitchen, as a round hole three feet square was burned directly under stove. All out signal 7.50 P. M.

March 16—Chief Blanche called in a still alarm to a chimney fire in dwelling on North Street owned and occupied by Dominic Puzoine. Damage slight.

March 24—Box 46. Alarm at 1.12 P. M. for fire in small frame dwelling and connected shed on Oak Street, owned and occupied by Mrs. Maria Thayer. Totally destroyed before arrival of department. Someone set off brush heaps in nearby field, and before the danger was apparent it had followed dry grass to the dwelling and destroyed it, with contents. Small insurance. All out signal at 3.30 P. M.

March 26—Box 54. Alarm at 2.07 P. M. Grass fire west of Fowler Street threatening houses on that street. Out, 2.50 P. M.

Box 61. Alarm at 5.28 P. M., grass fire on Gold Street. All out signal 5.40 P. M.

Both alarms seemed needless, as fires should have been stopped before they assumed alarming proportions, as should also the following grass fires:

April 4—Box 35. Alarm at 9.45 A. M., grass fire over the line in South Braintree.

April 8—Box 23. False, 7.43 P. M. Out signal, 7.52 P. M.

April 13—Box 31. Alarm at 7.17 P. M., grass. Out, 7.22 P. M.

April 26—Box 43. Alarm at 1.54 P. M. Woods fire in rear of Belcher Park, south of Allen Street; considerable land burned over, but small damage, as fire traveled fast and material was dry. All out signal 2.50 P. M.

April 26—Box 46. Alarm at 8.03 P. M. for woods fire in section known as Barberville, opposite Pole 43 (so-called) turnout on North Main Street. Someone pulled a needless second alarm. Little damage. All out 10.07 P. M.

April 27—Box 34. Alarm at 10.55 P. M. Pulled by a conductor on a South Braintree car for a brush fire on land of Percy C. Crockett, south of Central Cemetery, he having set it for purpose of clearing land and having it under control, but not lawful, as it should be extinguished at sunset. Recall signal 11.45 P. M.

April 28—Box 46. Alarm at 7.17 P. M. for fire in woods off

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Oak Street. Out signal 7.24 P. M. Fire extinguished by forest warden's department, with little damage.

May 16—Box 23. Alarm at 8.50 P. M. for fire in frame building on Short Street, lately occupied as a bakery on first floor and tenement on second floor. Fire considered of incendiary origin, as building was easily entered from rear by loafers and children also; fire quickly stopped, but inside was badly charred and smoked. All out signal 9.25 P. M. Insured.

May 17—Box 29. Alarm at 1.30 P. M. for fire in two and one half story frame tenement corner Cottage and Main streets. Owned by heirs of Joshua Thayer; occupied on first floor by Timothy Sheehan, second floor by Mrs. Kate Hayes. Ell of building above first floor badly burned. Caused by defective chimney. Smoke and water damage to rest of building. Well insured. All out signal 2.18 P. M.

June 8—Box 45, followed by Box 46. Alarm at 12.05 noon for fire in frame cottage on Orchard Street, owned by F. F. Driscoll, Boston, occupied by E. E. Simmons. Roof of ell burned badly. Cause, defective chimney. All out signal 12.57 P. M.

July 8—Box 29. Alarm at 10.02 A. M. for fire in frame building on North Main Street known as Old Tin Shop, owned by Mrs. Clara Alden; occupied on first floor by Maurice Scanlon as shoe repair and sales store, also Cyrus Eddy, shoe repairer; second floor, Post 110, G. A. R. headquarters. Fire supposed to be result of conditions in heap of leather scrap in ell of building. Damage slight. All out signal 10.22 A. M.

- July 31—Alarm at 7.20 P. M. (needless). Flaming oil stove in residence of Gibb Bodreau, Roel Street. All out signal 7.26 P. M.
- Aug. 30—Box 34. Alarm at 2.17 P. M. for fire in small barn owned by H. L. Paul, situated on land south of Central Cemetery. Cause, boys probably. All out 2.26 P. M. No material damage.
- Sept. 21—Box 54. Alarm at 3.27 P. M. for fire in chimney of frame dwelling on West Street, owned by Selwyn Wilbur. No damage to house.
- Oct. 26—Box 29, followed by second, for fire in Post 110, G. A. R. headquarters building on Main Street, owned by Mrs. Clara Alden and occupied by Maurice Scanlon as shoe shop. This building was on fire on July 8 and occupied the same as then; practically destroyed this time. Cause has not been determined. The dwelling on the north, owned by Mrs. Fanny J. Thayer, was badly damaged, and the occupant, Dr. Myrick, had furniture damaged in removal. The building on the south, owned by Mrs. Clara Alden and occupied by Thomas F. Smith, was scorched a little. All out signal 3.30 A. M.
- Nov. 3—Box 23. Needless alarm for a smoky stove in rear rooms of building on Main Street, owned and occupied by Erasmo Camelio. No damage. All out signal, 7.45; alarm at 7.30 A. M.
- Dec. 4—Box 46. Alarm at 11.20 A. M. for fire in chimney of residence of S. G. Beal, Oak Street. Fire extinguished by the use of chemicals; no particular damage to building. All out signal 12.35 P. M.

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Dec. 25—Alarm from Box 42 at 7.35 P. M. for overturned lamp in residence of Lewis DeCota, Pleasant Street, extinguished before arrival of department. There was no one at the box on the arrival, in a few minutes, of Engineer Roel, who was in the immediate vicinity, and on inquiry deemed the alarm false; all out signal at 7.40 P. M. Later department learned of cause for pulling box. Above shows necessity of staying at box or inform someone of the fire, as more serious damage might occur as to fire's location not being known.

Dec. 31—On still alarm, Engineer Forrest was called to a chimney fire in dwelling on Moulton Street, owned by Mrs. Sally P. Moulton and occupied by A. F. Williams.

This makes a total of twenty-four bell alarms in one year, which is more than the average by seventy-five per cent. A good share were for wood fires, for which there is a Forest Warden's Department, which is supposed to handle all brush fires without a bell call, except in extreme cases. None of the alarms for brush fires were authorized by him or his deputies. The expense of these calls was considerable and lowered our appropriation to a great extent. In some towns this expense is deducted from this appropriation.

Also we wish to emphasize the fact that pulling of a box the second time must be left to the authority of an engineer, as it causes needless expense and also confusion; also the wanton breaking of glass in boxes, as it is to protect the keyhole from storms and insects that the glass is used. We

are bothered greatly in this act, as some indiscreet party makes a practice of it, and it is most impossible to keep glasses in certain boxes very long. We warn them that perhaps they may need the use of the alarm at some time, and it is to their advantage to desist from imperiling its usefulness.

FIRE DEPARTMENT EXPENSE, 1911

Paid 44 men salary at \$12 each	\$528 00
Members of department, hour service	499 25
Engineer and fireman, steamer No. 1	35 00
F. W. Harris, hauling apparatus	400 00
F. W. Harris, teams and express	11 71
James E. Blanche, hauling chemical	163 00
James E. Blanche, care of chemical	79 00
James Riley, hauling hose No. 2	84 00
James Riley, rent of land	15 00
James Riley, coal, hose No. 2	3 62
Walter M. Howard, steward hose No. 2	27 25
R. J. McAuliffe, steward Extinguisher House,	6 75
F. J. Donahoe, steward Central Station	94 25
Bernard Moore, care of engineers' room	6 00
Estate Chas. Doughty, steam for whistle for 1910-1911	100 00
Rand & Holbrook Light and Power Co., light and meter	22 27
Board of Engineers, salary and service	118 50
Mitchell Valve Co., valve	25 00
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., sup- plies, 1910	31 00

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C. Fred Lyons, supplies, 1910	\$4 09
John T. Gill, removing snow, and steward ..	3 25
C. C. Callahan Co., repairs and supplies ...	10 58
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., Canton Junction, new hose	350 00
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., sup- plies, 1911	20 00
Eagle Oil and Supply Co., supplies.....	1 50
E. M. Mann, wood	8 00
Stuart, Howland Co., supplies	49 07
Randolph Coal Co.	74 55
G. A. Roel, care of alarm 15 months	125 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor and supplies	3 27
Mrs. Ellen Grady, rent of land	15 00
Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection, insurance,	15 00
Installation Box No. 47, Pond Road:	
Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., box	\$50 00
Stuart, Howland, electric supplies,	55 57
F. W. Harris, team	11 50
D. K. Carpenter Corporation, in- stallation	45 00
G. A. Roel, labor	8 40
	170 47
Appropriation	\$175 00
	170 47
Unexpended	\$4 53
Also some material on hand.	

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Paid for watch duty, \$3 each: Marcus Tirrell,	
J. P. Hanley, Wesley Poole, Charles Dyer,	
Thomas B. Jones, Charles Stetson. Total,	\$18 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	2 85
B. F. Hayden, labor	5 00
William O. Halloran, steward, truck No. 1..	12 25
James Fardy, labor and material	6 85
Luke Mulligan, labor	10 00
	\$3,154 33

Amount appropriated	\$2,488 00
Overdrawn	666 33

Department account fully closed for 1911.

GEO. A. ROEL, *Clerk.*

The overdraw is accounted for as follows: There were some bills left over on 1910 account, also fire service cost over double what was asked for (\$275), which item is a hard amount to estimate. We were not given the amount recommended in last report. We must have certain things necessary to conduct the department in a fair and inexpensive manner. There is not one thing got for the department that is not an absolute necessity. We wish to have the Central

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Station floor attended to as asked for last year, also a coat of paint on the building. This is something that should not be passed by; it must be done. We also recommend that more hose be purchased this year, as we have not a fair supply as yet. There is about 2,600 feet; less than half is of recent purchase and the rest is of doubtful quality. In regard to more hose, will report that the reason we wish more this year also is that 2,600 feet is not considered a sufficient amount to meet emergencies in case of fire, as when we have a lot of hose wet and out of use because of defects which will show unexpectedly in the old we have, there is not sufficient on hand to reload wagons in case of another alarm before the wet is ready for use.

The fire alarm system should need a little attention as regards repairs not incidental to its general care by the attendant. The boxes should be painted, new lead wire run from lines to boxes in many places, also replacing of old cross-arms, and not wait until they fall off; and in some places it should have new wire, as the lines have been in most a dozen years and ten is about the factor of safety on wire exposed to the elements. We have some wire and crossarms, but not enough for general use.

We would recommend the matter of storage battery be looked into, as the present battery is out of date long ago, and all present systems are operated by storage at practically no cost, whereas our battery supplies cost around \$80 per year. Of course the expense of installing is considerable, if we had a proper place, which we do not seem to have under present conditions.

The chemical engine needs some attention in regard to acid holders, which must be attended to in order to make it more efficient if it is to be used at all.

A new element of danger is to be instituted in town, namely, the use of high pressure gas for various uses. Most of the inhabitants are ignorant as to due care in its use, and the department should be ready to handle fires where gas is installed in buildings, not that gas is considered any more dangerous than other heating or lighting elements, but in the hands of careless users it can cause bad fires and explosions.

Also we would recommend that at no distant date the matter of inspection of wires be looked into, as there are conditions that will be troublesome if proper means are not taken to better their installation and present condition.

At the present writing we are in doubt as to the efficiency of the fire alarm whistle in the future as the Weymouth Light and Power Company have taken over the electric lighting plant and the generating plant will be closed, which we understand will cut our pressure down to a low figure, as the boilers will be used for heating only. The above conditions may call for changes in the system for which no appropriation can be estimated.

We would recommend for the following year:

General expenses	\$1,200 00
Pay of 43 men at \$12	516 00
Pay of men, hour service	400 00
Engineer and fireman of steamer	35 00

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Fire alarm, including permanent repairs	\$275 00
New hose, etc.	350 00
Repairs to Central Station	150 00
Total	\$2,926 00

Yours respectfully,

RICHARD F. FORREST,
GEO. A. ROEL,
Board of Engineers.

Twenty-sixth Annual Report
OF THE
WATER COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH

For the Year Ending December 30, 1911

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The twenty-sixth annual report of the Water Commissioners for the year ending December 30, 1911, is hereby submitted. Orders were drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$9,049.48 as follows, including interest on notes and bonds:

For Joint maintenance	\$2,188 45
Randolph maintenance	2,131 15
Service pipe construction	530 98
Balance of interest account	4,080 00
Balance of joint account.....	118 90
	\$9,049 48

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JOINT MAINTENANCE BILLS PAID BY RANDOLPH WATER DEPARTMENT

Paid Richard F. Forrest, labor	\$287 25
P. Southerland & Co., soda ash.....	5 60
James Fardy, blacksmith	43 90
Edson Mfg. Co., supplies	25 97
N. Y., N. H., & H. R. R. Co., freight	9 82
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies ...	36 39
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	39 00
M. E. Leahy, coal	862 22
N. E. Buck, hay and grain.....	63 33
Frank Diauto, hay and grain.....	63 00
Wm. C. Rider & Co.	86 75
Hartford Boiler Insurance Co.....	85 00
James E. Blanche, teams	4 00
Henry Campbell, painting	12 00
Sumner & Gerald's, supplies	20 05
R. P. Condon, labor	12 25
Augustus Forrest, labor	104 00
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies	9 95
Chas. N. Cox, labor.....	14 40
McLeod & Henry Co.	52 35
John E. Fitzgerald, labor	4 00
Warren Steam Pump Co., labor	37 30
Cancos Mfg. Co.	15 71
John Carr, labor.....	4 00
Edwin McMann, wood	3 00
L. B. Johns	54 15

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Paid D. Henderson, labor	\$4 60
E. W. Campagna, lumber.....	60
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies	14 41
A. C. Harvey & Co., supplies	1 71
C. D. Hill, supplies	70
Edward H. Carey	6 60
Geo. F. Blake Co.	2 10
American Oil Co.	33 48
John C. Marcille, stone bounds	30 00
Timothy Clifford, painting	11 20
Morton Holbrook, labor	2 25
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	14 61
F. W. Hayden & Co., supplies.....	38 36
Crosby Steam Gage & Valve Co.	5 25
Pay roll, labor	28 50
Miss A. B. Wales, barn rent	12 00
Frank W. Harris, expressing	13 87
John Reynolds, barn rent	12 00
R. E. O'Brien	82
	\$2,188 45
Received from Braintree Water De- partment for water supplied Brain- tree Highlands	\$110 36
Received from Brockton Gas Light Co. for repairing breaks in main pipe...	109 96
	220 32
	\$1,968 13

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JOINT BILLS PAID BY HOLBROOK WATER DEPARTMENT

Paid W. H. Ward, engineer, salary . . .	\$1,200 00	
W. H. Ward, supplies	2 25	
John W. Porter, coal	940 04	
Sumner & Gerald, pipe sleeves . .	22 12	
C. H. McCarter, blacksmith . . .	10 60	
Geo. T. Wilde, supplies	8 56	
Maurice Murphy, supplies and labor	6 75	
C. J. Duggan, teams	4 50	
John Hanefen, labor	3 10	
J. Sullivan, labor	7 10	
Frank J. Wetherell, supplies . . .	90	
		2,205 92
		\$4,174 05
One half paid by each town	2,087 03	
Paid by Randolph as above	\$1,968 13	
Holbrook Water Dept. balance..	118 90	
		2,087 03

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Paid Richard F. Forrest, labor	\$286 47
John Carr, labor	66 50
Arthur W. Alden, postage	25 62
E. L. McAuliffe, stamp	75

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Paid National Meter Co., meters	280 50
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	29 53
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co., box rent,	10 00
Grip Coupling Co.	3 30
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., freight	3 97
Cornelius Good, labor	2 00
R. P. Condon, labor	37 00
Somerville Savings Bank, interest.....	120 00
Hersey Mfg. Co.	1 07
Arlington Five Cent Savings Bank, interest.	40 00
Chapman Valve Co.	4 73
Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund, interest,	76 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	35 00
State Treasurer, interest on bonds	540 00
Parkman Lund, Admr., interest	60 00
Pneumatic Stamp Co., stamp.....	2 25
Walter L. Hickey, printing	22 25
Morton Holbrook, labor	15 50
Thompson Meter Co., meter	8 75
D. B. White, rent of toolhouse	25 00
Bernard Moore, care of room	6 00
F. W. Harris, expressing	1 85
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	27 11
Daniel B. White, services as commissioner .	150 00
William F. Barrett, services as commissioner,	125 00
Richard F. Forrest, services as commissioner.	125 00

\$2,131 15

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SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION

Paid Sumner & Gerald, supplies	\$284 05
Union Meter Co., supplies	19 35
W. H. Carroll, casting pipe	7 00
R. P. Condon, labor	48 00
John Carr, labor	74 00
John E. Fitzgerald, labor	18 50
Gauber Brass Mfg. Co., supplies	25 58
James M. Jones, labor	4 00
Morton Holbrook	50 50
	\$530 98

RECEIPTS

For Water, fixed rates	\$5,275 92
Water, meter rates	4,224 32
Meter rentals	504 38
Pipe and Fixtures	195 49
Labor	148 98
Water supplied Braintree Highlands	110 36
Repairing breaks in main pipe from Brockton Gaslight Co.	109 96
Total receipts	\$10,569 41
Rebates	23 33
Paid P. H. McLaughlin, Treasurer	\$10,546 08

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There is due the Department from sundry persons as follows:

For Water by fixed rates	\$867 20
Water by meter rates and rentals	1,147 56
Service pipe and labor	36 80
	\$2,051 56

The Commissioners ask for an appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars for the sinking fund.

DANIEL B. WHITE,
WILLIAM F. BARRETT,
RICHARD F. FORREST,
Water Commissioners.

RANDOLPH, MASS., Feb. 3, 1912.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Water Commissioners and find them correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

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THE HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION AND INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 21st day of December, 1911, by Inspector L. H. Holbrook. One H. T. boiler, No. 1.

Internally: The inner surfaces show a light general wasting due to long service. While this at present is not serious, it may be expected that by another year a very material reduction will be necessary. There was no scale formation or deposit noted on tubes or shell plates. The bracing was sound and taut. The openings to connections were free.

Externally: The fire surfaces show no bulging. The tube ends and riveted parts accessible show no evidence of leaks or fractures. The appliances and fittings were in good repair, except a blow-off pipe, which should be removed and made in flush with shell plates.

The mason work was in general good condition.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS, *Manager.*

Boston, December 26, 1911.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

THE HARTFORD STEAM BOILER INSPECTION AND
INSURANCE COMPANY

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 11th day of December, 1911, by Inspector George Richardson. One H. T. Boiler, No. 2. Pumping station.

Internally: The inner surfaces were practically free from scale. Light pitting not serious was noted on the bottom of the shell. We would advise using soda freely in the feed water. The bracing was sound and taut. The openings to the outside connections were clear. The fusible plug was in order.

Externally: The surfaces exposed to the flame show no signs of overheating. Seams and tube ends show no indications of leakage. The appliances were in working order. The brickwork of setting was in good repair. The steam gage was correct.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS, *Manager.*

Boston, December 12, 1911.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

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To the Water Commissioners

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works:

The following is the usual table:

1911	Gallons pumped	Gallons, daily average	Coal burned	Coal, daily average
January	15,687,000	506,003	82,660	2,666
February	13,160,000	470,000	66,120	2,362
March	13,986,000	451,161	75,830	2,446
April	12,124,000	404,133	61,240	2,041
May	17,955,000	579,003	81,770	2,637
June	18,532,000	617,766	86,620	2,887
July	28,504,000	919,484	116,670	3,763
August	15,148,000	488,645	70,020	2,222
September	10,248,000	341,600	52,390	1,746
October	10,304,000	332,387	54,970	1,771
November	8,764,000	292,133	48,850	1,628
December	8,980,000	289,677	52,740	1,701
Totals	173,392,000	475,046	849,880	2,600
Decrease from last year ...	8,895,800	53,016	99,060	271

Largest day's pumping, July 10, 1911, 1,232,000 gallons pumped. Time, 16 hours, 30 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ended July 16, 1911, 7,804,000 gallons pumped.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WARD, *Engineer.*

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for the water rates.

2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from the frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agent may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.

3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during

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the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, the water shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commissioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off

from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations, or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic

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purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or standpipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay all expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5 00

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One faucet for each family	6 00
For first bathtub	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional bathtub	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet.....	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than.....	20 00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub.....	3 00

Boarding-Houses and Hotels

First faucet.....	\$10 00
Each additional faucet	3 00
First bathtub	10 00
Each additional bathtub	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet.....	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3 00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5 00
Each additional horse	3 00
Each cow or ox	1 00

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Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime or cement...	05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1-4-inch nozzle to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year.....	\$5 00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gallons average per day per 1,000 gallons	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons ...	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$8.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by frost and heat excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

DANIEL B. WHITE,

WM. F. BARRETT,

RICHARD F. FORREST,

Water Commissioners.

REPORT

OF

TOWN TREASURER

Report of Town Treasurer

WATER DEPARTMENT

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$1,120 47
Received water rates	10,546 08
Interest on deposits	29 48
	\$11,696 03

Disbursements

Paid orders of Water Commissioners	\$4,969 48
Interest on bonds	4,080 00
Balance on hand Dec. 30, 1911.....	2,646 55
	\$11,696 03

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT BY MONTHS

Months	Receipts	Payments	Balance
December, 1910...			\$1,120 47
January, 1911...	\$1,144 70	\$280 00	1,985 17
February ...	690 50	.....	2,675 67
March ...	315 43	532 80	2,458 30
April ...	766 51	1,688 07	1,536 74
May ...	268 72	275 00	1,530 46
June ...	289 19	467 17	1,352 48
July ...	2,653 16	1,000 93	3,004 71
August ...	800 28	859 84	2,945 15
September ...	302 90	496 24	2,751 81
October ...	313 40	1,282 78	1,782 43
November ...	212 48	352 24	1,642 67
December ...	2,818 29	1,814 41	2,646 55

RANDOLPH, MASS., Feb. 5, 1912.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the account of Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners, and find the same correct and the balance as stated above.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,

JOHN K. WILLARD,

JOHN B. WREN,

Auditors.

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PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, *Treasurer*, in account with RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINKING FUND

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$8,356 12
Received Town appropriation	2,500 00
Received for Town of Randolph, Note, Wales Avenue	500 00
Received for 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad bonds	3,000 00

Received interest:

On 3 Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad bonds...	90 00
On 8 Town of Randolph bonds, \$1,000 each, six months at 4 per cent	160 00
On 4 Town of Randolph notes, \$500 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	80 00
On 1 Town of Randolph note, \$300, one year at 4 per cent.....	12 00
On 1 Town of Randolph note, \$1,100, one year at 4 per cent.....	44 00
On 1 Town of Randolph note, \$500, one year at 4 per cent.....	20 00
On 1 Old Colony Railroad bond, \$3,000, one year at 4 per cent., ...	120 00
On 10 American Telephone & Telegraph bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.....	400 00
On 4 New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent....	160 00

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On 7 Gloucester, Essex & Beverly Street Railroad bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 5 per cent,	\$350 00
On 3 Boston & Maine Railroad bonds, \$3,000 each, one year at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	135 00
On 3 Fitchburg Railroad bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	120 00
On 3 Boston Elevated Railroad bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	120 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	80 00
On 22 Town of Randolph bonds, \$1,000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	880 00
Interest on deposit in Old Colony Trust Company	14 71
Interest on deposits in Savings Banks:	
Quincy	41 36
North Easton	41 56
Brockton	17 04
Abington	20 12
Randolph	37 90
	\$17,299 81

Expenditures

Paid for 3 Boston & Maine Railroad bonds.	\$3,160 13
Paid for 3 New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad bonds	2,854 83
Paid for 2 American Telephone & Telegraph bonds	1,818 22

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Paid for 3 Boston Elevated Street Railroad bonds	\$2,960 50
Paid for 6 Town of Randolph notes.....	1,800 00
Deposited in Savings Banks	157 98
Balance on deposit in Old Colony Trust Co.....	4,548 15
	\$17,299 81

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT OF THE WATER DEPARTMENT

DECEMBER 30, 1911

Liabilities

Water bonds outstanding:

Due April 1, 1912	\$20,000 00
Dec. 31, 1912	700 00
Dec. 31, 1914	1,500 00
Dec. 31, 1914	300 00
Dec. 31, 1915	1,100 00
Dec. 31, 1915	500 00
May 1, 1917	40,000 00
May 1, 1918	20,000 00
Dec. 16, 1918	1,000 00
July 1, 1922	25,000 00
Nov. 5, 1923	3,000 00
July 1, 1926	10,000 00
	\$123,100 00
Interest (estimated)	1,350 00
	\$124,450 00

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Assets

Amount in Sinking Fund	\$70,849 46	
Cash in hands of Treasurer	2,646 55	
Accounts due and unpaid	2,051 56	
		\$75,547 57
Net debt		\$48,902 43
Water debt Dec. 31, 1910	\$56,529 44	
Water debt Dec. 30, 1911	48,902 43	
Decrease in water debt.....	\$7,627 01	

STATE OF THE RANDOLPH WATER LOAN SINKING FUND

Six Town of Randolph notes	\$1,800 00
Three Town of Randolph notes	1,500 00
One Town of Randolph note	1,100 00
One Town of Randolph note	500 00
One Town of Randolph note	300 00
Twenty-two Town of Randolph bonds	22,000 00
One Old Colony Railroad bond	3,000 00
Three Fitchburg Railroad bonds	3,000 00
Four New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad bonds	4,000 00

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Two Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad bonds	2,000 00
Seven Gloucester, Essex & Beverly Street Railway bonds	7,000 00
Three Boston & Maine Railroad bonds.....	3,000 00
Ten American Telephone & Telegraph bonds.....	10,000 00
Three Boston Elevated Railway bonds.....	3,000 00
On deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	976 85
Abington Savings Bank	518 80
Quincy Savings Bank.....	1,065 60
North Easton Savings Bank	1,070 84
Brockton Savings Bank	439 22
Old Colony Trust Company	4,548 15
	\$70,819 46

RANDOLPH, MASS., Feb. 5, 1912.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have examined the Sinking Fund and find it to agree with the statement above made.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
JOHN B. WREN,

Auditors.

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PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, *Treasurer*, in account with TOWN
OF RANDOLPH

Dr.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$6,903 07
Received for Town notes in anticipation of taxes..	45,000 00
Received for Town notes, No. 8 school.....	1,800 00
Received taxes of 1908	\$926 47
Received taxes of 1909	8,042 07
Received taxes of 1910	10,085 18
Received taxes of 1911	31,350 00
Received excise taxes of 1911	2,025 90
	\$52,429 62

Received from Selectmen \$1,141 51

Received from State Treasurer:

Mass. school fund	\$832 10
Balance corporation tax, P. S., 1910,	03
Balance corporation tax, B., 1910 ..	118 97
Highway Commission, gypsy and brown-tail moth.....	26 80
Inspector of animals	50 00
Tuition of children	156 50
Superintendent of schools and teach- ing	500 00
Corporation tax, B., 1910.....	1,594 42
Corporation tax, P. S., 1910	1,882 12
National Bank tax	1,493 27

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State aid, 1910	\$4,266 00
Military aid, 1910	318 00
Burial of indigent soldiers	148 00
Street railway tax	1,664 25

\$13,050 46

Received on account of School Committee:

Interest Coddington Fund	\$64 00
Dog licenses	494 48
M. Steinert & Co.	3 00

\$561 48

Sundries:

Received court fees, Dedham	\$25 00
Court fees, Quincy	56 45
Brockton Gas Light Co.....	24 75
J. S. Abbott, tax title	8 20
Use of telephone	75

\$115 15

Received interest:

On taxes	\$1,400 60
On deposits.....	89 68
On premium on note.....	2 52

\$1,492 80

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Received for licenses:

3 auctioneer	\$6 00
5 express	5 00
3 pool	6 00
3 slaughter house	3 00

20 00

Received from Towns on Account of Poor:

Abington	\$86 55	
Holbrook	211 70	
Billerica	125 50	
Brockton	13 31	
Quincy	78 50	
Duxbury	45 25	
Boston	20 00	
Canton	61 28	
State Treasurer	16 00	658 09

\$123,172 18

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Paid Selectmen orders	\$72,715 16
Town notes	45,000 00
Balance on hand Dec. 30, 1911	5,457 02

\$123,172 18

CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENT

Months	RECEIPTS							EXPENDITURES		Balance
	Taxes	Selectmen sundry accts.	Notes	Interest	Other towns, pauper Accts.	State Treasurer	All others	Town orders	Notes	
Dec. 31, 1910	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$6,903 07
January, 1911	.....	.....	.....	\$ 7 68	\$ 298 25	.....	\$ 3 75	.....	.....	6,674 25
February	\$1,900 00	\$ 45 00	.....	4 72	282 56	.....	.....	\$ 538 50	.....	3,137 13
March	1,400 00	.....	\$35,000 00	157 86	.....	.....	17 00	5,769 40	.....	8,882 57
April	1,900 00	.....	.....	14 63	.....	\$ 119 00	4 41	5,948 42	\$25,000 00	7,931 27
May	.....	.....	5,000 00	59 11	.....	.....	5 00	2,870 34	.....	5,833 73
June	2,600 00	166 20	5,000 00	402 52	.....	16 00	2 00	4,584 77	.....	4,435 68
July	2,100 00	.....	.....	213 65	61 28	.....	31 11	5,865 59	5,000 00	976 13
August	1,227 25	.....	1,800 00	152 78	.....	233 30	1 00	1,834 60	.....	3,155 86
September	5,250 00	56 25	.....	203 32	.....	.....	.....	6,310 25	.....	2,355 18
October	23,800 00	110 00	.....	56 01	.....	.....	27 93	8,381 97	10,000 00	7,967 15
November	2,800 00	242 25	.....	12 92	.....	11,749 16	11 00	11,450 87	5,000 00	6,331 61
December	7,152 37	521 81	.....	207 60	.....	949 00	593 43	10,298 80	.....	5,457 02
Totals, 1911	\$52,429 62	\$1,141 51	\$46,800 00	\$1,492 80	\$ 642 09	\$13,066 46	\$ 696 63	\$72,715 16	\$45,000 00	\$5,457 02
Totals, 1910	52,196 15	906 24	45,000 00	1,490 30	1,392 06	12,076 18	2,917 75	67,798 48	46,000 00	6,903 07
Totals, 1909	56,619 71	1,141 00	51,000 00	2,581 90	396 77	9,634 88	3,266 21	77,347 93	48,000 00	4,722 85
Totals, 1908	48,249 23	1,115 53	67,500 00	805 55	639 19	9,653 05	2,395 48	85,495 87	42,000 00	5,430 31
Totals, 1907	43,078 42	811 93	89,000 00	1,916 93	1,073 36	9,773 81	2,424 68	72,874 53	73,000 00	2,577 15

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FINANCIAL EXHIBIT

Liabilities

Three notes, \$500 each, 4%, Wales Avenue.....	\$1,500 00
One note, Coddington Fund, 4%	1,600 00
Twenty-six notes, 4 1-2%, reduction Town debt.	29,000 00
Sixteen notes, 4 1-10%, new High School.....	24,000 00
One note, 5%, North Grammar School.....	1,000 00
Three notes, \$500 each, 4%, Woodlawn Street....	1,500 00
Six notes, \$300 each, 4%, No. 8 School.....	1,800 00
One note, anticipation of taxes, @ 3.75	25,000 00
One note, anticipation of taxes, @ 3.95	5,000 00
	\$90,400 00

Assets

Unpaid taxes, 1908	\$31 17
Unpaid taxes, 1909	3,772 09
Unpaid taxes, 1910	10,619 17
Unpaid taxes, 1911	18,936 39
Interest (estimated)	1,534 12
State aid, 1911	3,962 00
Military aid, 1911	318 00
Burial of indigent soldiers, 1911	111 00

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Due from Towns:

Braintree.....	\$99 23
Duxbury	52 25
Abington	8 00
Canton	51 00
Acton.....	97 58
Billerica.....	84 50
Quincy.....	20 50
Stoneham	26 00

Cash on hand Dec. 30, 1911	5,457 02	
		\$45,180 02

Net Town debt.....	\$45,219 98
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Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1911	\$45,219 98
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Net Town debt Dec. 30, 1910	46,060 18
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Decrease in Town debt	\$840 20
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In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund note of \$1,600, and also a deposit of \$300 in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of both of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

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RANDOLPH, MASS., February 5, 1912.

The undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries made for all payments and receipts.

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM,

JOHN B. WREN,

JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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STATEMENT SHOWING PROVISION FOR PAYMENT OF TOWN NOTES

Year	Woodlawn St.	North Grammar School	Wales Ave.	No. 8 School	Refunding Notes	New High School	Appropriation necessary
1912.....		\$1000	\$500	\$300	\$1500	\$1500	\$4800
1913.....	\$500		500	300	1500	1500	4300
1914.....	500		500	300	1500	1500	4300
1915.....	500			300	1500	1500	3800
1916.....				300	1500	1500	3300
1917.....				300	1500	1500	3300
1918.....					1000	1500	2500
1919.....					1000	1500	2500
1920.....					1000	1500	2500
1921.....					1000	1500	2500
1922.....					1000	1500	2500
1923.....					1000	1500	2500
1924.....					1000	1500	2500
1925.....					1000	1500	2500
1926.....					1000	1500	2500
1937.....					1000	1500	2500
1927.....					1000		1000
1928.....					1000		1000
1929.....					1000		1000
1930.....					1000		1000
1931.....					1000		1000
1932.....					1000		1000
1933.....					1000		1000
1934.....					1000		1000
1935.....					1000		1000
1936.....					1000		1000
							\$58,800
Coddington Fund—on demand.....							1,600
Anticipation of taxes							30,000
							\$90,400

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, March 6, 1911.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated February 13, 1911, duly served and returned by John Haney, Constable, the voters of the Town of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Monday, March 6, 1911.

All the preliminaries being complied with, the meeting was called to order by Fred M. French, Moderator. The warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk, after which action was taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such Town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot. Also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such Town officers as towns are by law authorized to choose at their annual

meeting, viz.: A moderator, a town clerk, a town treasurer, three selectmen and overseers of poor, an assessor for three years, one member of school committee for three years, three auditors, seven constables, three fish wardens, three fence viewers, one trustee of the Stetson School Fund for three years, one water commissioner for three years, a tree warden and a collector of taxes; also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?"; that the polls shall be kept open until 2 o'clock P. M.; that Articles 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator. Said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Monday, March 20, 1911, at 7.30 P. M., for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The Moderator appointed the following committee: John V. Beal, John K. Willard, Henry A. Belcher, Edwin M. Mann, James H. Hurley, Daniel J. Brennan, Charles D. Hill.

The following persons served as election officers: Ballot box, Lawrence McGrath; check list, Michael E. Clark, Frank H. Tileston; ballot clerks, Joseph W. O'Mahoney, Thomas L. Stetson; deputy ballot clerks, George E. English, Wesley C. Poole; officers at the gate, Dennis F. Mahoney, Joseph F. Dennehy; officer outside the hall, John F. Gill; tellers, Edward J. McMahan, Daniel P. Lyons, Thomas H. Good, John H. Wren, William F. Barrett, James J.

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Shea, Percy H. Thomson, Frank H. Jaquith, Rev. John N. Shipman, Herman Shaw, George A. Roel, Charles R. Powers, Jr.

At 5.50 A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The ballot box was examined and found in good order; it was opened twice during the time set for balloting, viz.:

At 9.15 A. M., when 387 ballots had been cast.

At 11 A. M., when 516 ballots had been cast.

At 2 o'clock it was voted to close the polls.

During the counting of the ballots and before declaration of the result, the following articles were acted on:

Article 2. To choose all such Town officers as are not required by law to be chosen by ballot.

The following-named persons were elected to fill the offices set against their respective names:

SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND BARK

Charles H. Cole

Joseph T. Leahy

Charles D. Hill

Daniel B. White

Eugene Thayer

Michael E. Leahy

POUND-KEEPER

*Michael M. Sullivan

FIELD DRIVERS

Robert E. O'Brien

*George F. Taylor

John Van Beal

Frank Curran

Robert Uniac

Gibb E. Bodreau

Article 20. Voted unanimously that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of a majority of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate fifty thousand dollars, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of the present municipal year.

Article 23. Voted, that the Selectmen be so authorized and appointed.

Article 24. Voted, that the Water Commissioner be so authorized and appointed.

The ballots having been sorted and counted, declaration of the result was made as follows:

FOR MODERATOR

*†Fred M. French	420
Blanks	301
Scattering	1

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FOR TOWN CLERK

*†Patrick H. McLaughlin	353
Walter F. Stephens	343
Blanks	26

FOR TOWN TREASURER

*†Patrick H. McLaughlin	338
Walter F. Stephens	329
Blank	55

FOR SELECTMEN AND OVERSEERS OF POOR

(1 year)

*†Jeremiah J. Desmond	398
Daniel Driscoll	321
*†James H. Dunphy	358
*†John E. McDonald	374
Charles H. Thayer	344
Blanks	369
Scattering	2

FOR ASSESSORS

(3 years)

Daniel Driscoll	126
James H. Dunphy	108
Edwin M. Mann	103
*†John E. McDonald	149
Blanks	236

FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

(3 years)

*†Edward Long	491
Blanks	229
Scattering	2

FOR TRUSTEE STETSON SCHOOL FUND

(3 years)

*†Edward Long	465
Blanks	254
Scattering	3

FOR WATER COMMISSIONER

(3 years)

*†Richard F. Forrest	524
Blanks	197
Scattering	1

FOR AUDITOR

(1 year)

*†Michael F. Cunningham.....	427
*†John K. Willard	471
*†John B. Wren	440
Blanks	827
Scattering	1

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FOR TAX COLLECTOR

*†Edward Long.....	342
Blanks	380

FOR CONSTABLES

*†Frank J. Donahoe	471
*†Joseph H. Foster	447
*†John Haney	480
*†Frank W. Harris	469
*†P. Joseph Riley	437
*†Lincoln Stetson	409
*†Michael F. Sullivan	348
Fred W. Vye.....	339
Blanks	1,644
Scattering	10

FOR FENCE VIEWERS

*†John Lyons	7
William Mahady	4
Charles H. Cole	4
James Riley	4
Blanks	2,085
Scattering	62

FOR TREE WARDEN

*†James E. Blanche ..	406
Blanks	314
Scattering	2

FOR FISH WARDENS

*Charles D. Hill	22
Michael E. Leahy	6
George F. Taylor	5
Blanks	2,081
Scattering ..	2

LICENSE QUESTION

Yes.....	275
No	356
Blanks	91

The ballots and unused ballots were sealed up in open town meeting, after which it was voted to adjourn.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN, *Town Clerk.*

*Elected

†Oath of office taken.

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ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, March 20, 1911.

The annual Town meeting, adjourned to this date, was called to order at 7.30 P. M. by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

A printed report was submitted by the Committee on Appropriations, a copy of which was presented each voter on entering the hall.

Voted, unanimously, that the report of the Committee on Appropriations be accepted.

Article 3. Voted, unanimously, that the reports of the Town officers for the year ending December 31, 1910, be accepted.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools, including the conveyance of pupils, and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$15,544 be raised and appropriated as follows:

For teaching	\$8,419 00
Care of rooms	1,275 00
Fuel	1,200 00
Books and supplies	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs.....	1,100 00

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Conveyance of pupils	\$350 00
Superintendent of schools	600 00
Stetson High School	3,000 00
School physician (in compliance with Chap. 257, Acts of 1910)	100 00
It is also recommended that the town authorize the school committee to receive compensation for their services to an amount not exceeding.....	
	300 00
	\$17,544 00

Less the following estimates:

Revenue from dog tax, State School	
Fund and Coddington Fund.....	\$1,500 00
State, for Superintendent of Schools..	300 00
State, for salary of teachers.....	200 00
	2,000 00
Total	\$15,544 00

Article 5. To raise money to defray the general town expense for the current year and appropriate the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$18,200 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses.....	\$1,400 00
Poor in almshouse	2,000 00
Poor out of almshouse	2,500 00

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Soldiers' relief	\$300 00
Soldiers' relief in Randolph and Holbrook	300 00
Military aid	250 00
Town officers	2,200 00
Board of Health	150 00
Interest on Town debt	3,000 00
Lockup expense	150 00
Expense of exterminating the gypsy and brown-tail moths	900 00
Births, marriages, deaths, and court fees	150 00
Insurance on Town property	400 00

Reduction of Town debt:

Town note, North Grammar School	1,000 00
Town note, Wales Avenue	500 00
Town note, old Town debt	1,500 00
Town note, new High School	1,500 00

Total	\$18,200 00
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Also that the interest on the taxes and deposits during the year 1911 be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the Town debt.

Article 6. To raise money for the repair of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,500 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways, including paving and sidewalks,

and in addition thereto the street railway tax and excise tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 7. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted, that the sum of \$3,600 be raised and appropriated for this purpose, and that the Selectmen be directed to investigate the quality and quantity of the electric power furnished for lighting and exact from the person or company supplying the same what we pay for.

Article 8. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the watering of streets.

Voted, that the sum of \$500 be raised and appropriated for watering the streets.

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer bond for the year 1911-1912, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the Town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1911-1912, and that the sum of \$100 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1911-1912, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

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Voted, that the Town pay the expense of insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1911-1912, and that the sum of \$40 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 11. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Voted, that the sum of \$150 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 12. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Fire Department, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,488 be raised and appropriated for said department, and the further sum of \$300 be raised and appropriated for extinguishing fires in woodland under the direction of the Forest Fire Warden.

Article 13. To see what sum of money the town will raise and contribute to the sinking fund as required by law to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan."

Voted, that the sum of \$2,500 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the "Randolph Water Loan" when due.

Article 14. To see what action the town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$250 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for the attendance upon all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose settlement and residence is in the town of Randolph, for one year from January 1, 1911. That is to say, each physician resident in the town on the first of March, 1911, shall receive the sum of \$50 for his services provided he makes 34 visits during the year; after that time he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of the town's poor as shall call upon him for his services; those physicians who make less than 34 visits shall receive pay at the rate of \$1.50 for each of said visits.

Article 15. To see what action the town will take in relation to spraying the trees of the town and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$400 be raised and appropriated for this and other purposes under the charge of the tree warden.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to make repairs on the almshouse, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$300 be raised and appropriated for Almshouse repairs.

Article 17. To see what action the town will take in relation to the pay of laborers employed by the town.

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Voted, that each person employed by the town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and that laborers residing in town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 18. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint special officers to enforce the laws and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officers.

Voted, that the town instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special officer, or direct an officer elected by the town to enforce the laws of the Commonwealth, and that the sum of \$700 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, which sum shall include the expense of posting warrants for town meetings, and all other civil service which the business of the town may call for; and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 19. To see what compensation the town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted, that three-fourths of one per cent be allowed for the collection of taxes.

Article 21. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1911.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 22. To see if the town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as collector.

Voted, that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 26. To see what action the town will take in relation to the care of the clock in the spire of the Congregational Church, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$20 be raised and appropriated for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Article 27. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell the schoolhouse lot on North Street.

Voted, that the Selectmen be authorized to sell the schoolhouse lot on North Street for a price not less than \$250, and to sign, seal, execute and deliver a deed to the purchaser thereof.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote to place a fire alarm box on Pond Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that the sum of \$175 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

Article 29. To see what action the town will take in relation to the heating of No. 8 school, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

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Voted, that the School Committee be and hereby are authorized and directed to install a heating and sanitary plant in the No. 8 school, so called, and that the sum of \$1,800 be raised and appropriated for that purpose, and that the Town Treasury notes, approved by a majority of the Selectmen, be issued therefor in such manner that \$300 of the amount so raised shall become due and payable in one year from the date of issue, and \$300 annually thereafter until the entire sum of \$1,800 is paid. It was voted unanimously, and so declared by the Moderator.

Article 30. On petition of W. A. Croak and others, to see what action the town will take in relation to building a Soldiers' Monument in Randolph, in accordance with the provisions of the will of the late Hiram C. Alden, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted, that the sum of \$1,500 be raised and appropriated as a contribution toward the erection of a soldiers' monument in this town, the site therefor to be on the green in front of Stetson Hall, and that the said sum be set apart by the Treasurer of the town and not paid over or drawn upon until the Treasurer and Selectmen are reasonably assured that the contributions from other sources for said erection amount to the sum of \$2,700, and that a committee consisting of three citizens not members of Post 110, G. A. R., be appointed by the Moderator at this meeting to act jointly with a committee of three to be appointed by and from the members of said Post, which joint committee shall have full

charge over the architectural design of said monument, and full power and authority to enter into contract for the erection thereof. But under no condition or circumstances shall said committee involve the town to a greater liability than \$1,500 without a vote of the town at a meeting called for that purpose.

The Moderator appointed as such committee James Fardy, Edwin M. Mann, Herbert F. French.

Article 31. On petition of Thomas B. Jones and others, to see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main on High Street in a northerly direction two hundred rods from its present terminus on High Street, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted, that during the current year it is not expedient to further extend the water main on High Street, as petitioned for under this Article.

Article 32. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sign and deliver a proper deed of the Inhabitants of the Town of Randolph, conveying lands described in a deed from Hiram C. Alden, Treasurer of the Town of Randolph, to Gideon Howard, Jr., dated April 3d, 1865, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 331, page 51.

Voted, that the town authorize and instruct the Selectmen to sign, seal, execute and deliver such a deed as will perfect the conveyance intended to be made of the Ludden Farm

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(so called), now situated on South Street, in Holbrook, Mass., under its vote at a meeting held April 29, 1839, in so far as the town has power so to act.

Article 33. To hear and act on the report of any committee, and choose any committee the town may think proper.

It was voted that a Committee of Five be appointed by the Moderator to investigate and recommend as to the advisability of disposing of any portion of the land recently purchased for a high school site. Said committee to serve without pay and to report at the next annual meeting or at a special meeting to be called for the purpose.

The Moderator appointed as such committee Timothy Lyons, Henry A. Belcher, Edward Long, William J. Good, Frank D. McCarty.

Voted, that it is the sense of this meeting that the Committee on Appropriations appointed at the annual town meeting be instructed to report at least three days before the adjourned annual town meeting.

Voted, that it is the sense of this meeting that the assessors be instructed to revalue the town and publish a list of the property owners, with the amount of each person's tax, in the annual Town Report.

Voted, that the citizens here assembled by a rising vote express their appreciation for the loyal and faithful services

rendered to the town for the past fifteen years by their retiring Town Clerk and Treasurer, Joseph T. Leahy.

Voted, that the sum of \$25 be paid the Moderator for his services.

Mr. French, having expressed his thanks, directed the Treasurer to pay the same to Post 110, G. A. R., as a contribution to its monument fund.

The total appropriations:

Article 4.	For Support of Schools	\$15,544 00
Article 5.	General Town Expenses	18,200 00
Article 6.	Repairs of Highways	3,500 00
Article 7.	Street Lighting	3,600 00
Article 8.	Watering Streets	500 00
Article 9.	Treasurer's Bond	100 00
Article 10.	Tax Collector's Bond	40 00
Article 11.	Decoration of Soldiers' Graves .	150 00
Article 12.	Fire Department	2,488 00
Article 12.	Forest Fires	300 00
Article 13.	Water Loan Sinking	2,500 00
Article 14.	Pay of Physicians	250 00
Article 15.	Spraying Trees	400 00
Article 16.	Repairs at Almshouse	300 00
Article 18.	Special Police.....	700 00
Article 26.	Care of Clocks	20 00
Article 28.	Fire Alarm Box, Pond Street ...	175 00

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Article 30.	Soldiers' Monument	1,500 00
	State Tax	3,465 00
	State Highway Tax	95 00
	County Tax	1,607 06
		\$55,434 06

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

TOWN MEETING WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, NORFOLK, SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph in said
County,*

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at Stetson Hall in said town on Monday, the twenty-

second day of May, instant, at 7. 30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept as a town way the street as laid out by the Selectmen to be known as Harriman Street, running westerly from Pond Street to Morgan Street, which laying, with boundaries and measurements of the way, is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and raise and appropriate money for the construction of said street.

Article 2. To see if the town will accept as a town way the street as laid out by the Selectmen, to be known as Park Street, running easterly from North Main Street, near West Street turnout, which laying out, with boundaries and measurements of the way, is on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and raise and appropriate money for the construction of said street.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on Pond Street to North Main Street, as petitioned for by Edward F. King and others, and raise and appropriate money therefor.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

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Hereof fail not, but make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this eighth day of May, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
JAMES H. DUNPHY,
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
Selectmen of Randolph.

NORFOLK, SS.

RANDOLPH, MASS., May 18, 1911.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph herein described to meet at the time and place and for the purpose mentioned, by posting attested copies of this warrant at ten public places in said town eight days before the time set for holding said meeting.

JOHN HANEY,
Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, May 22, 1911.

Pursuant to the preceding warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall this evening at seven thirty o'clock.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Fred M. French, and the warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 2. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 3. Motion that the Water Commissioners be and they hereby are authorized and directed to extend the water main from its present terminus on Pond Street to North Main Street, and that the expense thereof be defrayed from the proceeds of the sale of a note as authorized by special acts of the Legislature, said note not to exceed twelve hundred dollars, and to be payable within five years from the date of issue.

Motion defeated, 22 in the affirmative, 13 in the negative, not a two-thirds vote.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

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TOWN MEETING WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, NORFOLK SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble at Stetson Hall in said Town on Monday the twenty-fifth day of September instant at 7.30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept as a town way the street as laid out by the Selectmen, running easterly from North Main Street near the residence of Miss Lizzie A. Mann, as petitioned for by Charles D. Hill and others, which laying out with boundaries and measurements of the way is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and raise and appropriate money for the construction of the same.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on Pond Street to Main Street as petitioned for by Edward F. King and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to install three electric lights on Belcher Street as petitioned for by Mark B. Claff and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not but make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph the eleventh day of September, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
JAMES H. DUNPHY,
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
Selectmen of Randolph.

NORFOLK SS.

RANDOLPH, September 23, 1911.

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned by posting ten copies of the Warrant at ten public places, ten days before the hour and day named for holding said meeting.

JOHN HANEY,
Constable.

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

RANDOLPH, September 25, 1911.

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall at 7.30 o'clock in the evening.

The meeting was called to order by the moderator Fred M. French and the Warrant and return read by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted that the town hereby accepts as a town way the street as laid out by the Selectmen running easterly from North Main Street near the residence of A. Lizzie Mann in accordance with a plan now on file in the office of the Town Clerk, that the Selectmen be and they are hereby authorized and directed to build said street, that the sum of \$300 be paid for building said street and that it be paid from the Highway appropriation of the present year.

Article 2. Voted by a two-thirds vote that the Water Commissioners be and they hereby are authorized and instructed to extend the water main from its present terminus on Pond Street to Main Street and to defray the expense thereof. The Town Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to borrow money and to issue a note of the town with the approval of the Water Commissioners. Said note not to exceed (\$2,500) twenty-five hundred dollars, and to be payable five years from the date of issue.

Article 3. Voted to install three electric lights on Belcher

Street and the expense thereof for the present year be paid from the miscellaneous fund.

Voted to dissolve.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

PRIMARY ELECTION WARRANT

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS NORFOLK SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in State election, to assemble at Stetson Hall in said Town on Tuesday the twenty-sixth day of September instant, then and there to give in to the Selectmen on their ballots their votes for the nomination of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Treasurer and Receiver, General Auditor of the Commonwealth, Attorney General, Councillor Second District, Senator First Norfolk District, Representative in

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the General Court from Ninth Norfolk District, County Commissioner for Norfolk County, Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County, Register of Deeds for Norfolk County, and for the election of District Members of the State Committees, Members of Town Committees and delegates to the State Conventions. The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5 o'clock P. M. and remain open until 8 o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this eleventh day of September, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

JOHN E. McDONALD,
JAMES H. DUNPHY,
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

Selectmen of Randolph.

NORFOLK SS.

RANDOLPH, Sept. 23, 1911.

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned by posting ten copies of the Warrant at ten public places ten days before the hour and day named for holding said meeting.

JOHN HANEY,
Constable.

PRIMARY ELECTION

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall, Tuesday the twenty-sixth day of September. Meeting called to order at five o'clock P. M., by John E. McDonald, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the Warrant and return and declared the polls open for the reception of ballots.

The following election officers were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Ballot clerks, Joseph T. Leahy, Thomas L. Stetson; Officers at Gates, Frank J. Donahoe, Michael F. Sullivan; Tellers, Frank H. Jaquith, Joseph Dennehy, Herman Shaw, Daniel P. Lyons; Check list, Jeremiah J. Desmond, John E. McDonald; Ballot box, James H. Dunphy.

The Polls were declared closed at 8 o'clock P. M.

Whole number of ballots cast	167
Ballot box register	164

FOR GOVERNOR

Eugene N. Foss	82
Eugene N. Foss, P. D.	1
Thomas L. Hisgen	13
Louis A. Frothingham	52
Joseph Walker	8
Norman H. White	9
Blanks	2

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FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

David I. Walsh	89
David I. Walsh, D. P.	1
Robert Luce	68
Blanks	9

FOR SECRETARY

Frank J. Donaghue	68
Edward O. Skelton	21
Edward O. Skelton, D. P.	1
Albert P. Langtry	58
Russell A. Wood	8
Blanks	11

FOR TREASURER

Augustus L. Thorndike	81
Augustus L. Thorndike, D. P.	1
Elmer A. Stevens	68
Blanks	17

FOR AUDITOR

Charles B. Strecker	77
Herbert W. Burr	22
John E. White	45
Blanks	23

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL

George W. Anderson	46
Joseph J. Leonard	40
James M. Swift	65
Blanks	16

FOR COUNCILLOR

J. Stearns Cushing	50
Henry J. Dixon	73
W. Prentiss Parker	11
Blanks	33

FOR SENATOR

George L. Barnes	67
James E. Foley	6
F. J. McEnnelly	1
Blanks	93

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

John V. Beal	68
Jeremiah O'Leary	88
Blanks	11

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Louis E. Flye	28
John F. Merrill	28
Eugene N. Sprague	12
J. B. McMahon	1
M. E. Clark	1
Blanks	97

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

John H. Burdakin	63
Charles E. Mahoney	1
D. F. Daley	1
Blanks	102

FOR CLERK OF COURTS

Louis A. Cook	62
J. B. Duff	1
D. F. Daley	1
Blanks	103

FOR STATE COMMITTEE

H. Clifford Gallagher	61
John A. Kiggen	69
Blanks	37

FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTIONS

James E. Foley	73
Bernard Moore	74
R. E. O'Brien	1
R. Forrest	1
James Lynch	1
Asa P. French	64
Joseph Belcher	60
John T. Moore	1
Blanks	59

FOR TOWN COMMITTEE

Patrick H. McLaughlin	78
James E. Foley	78
R. E. O'Brien	78
Edward Long	78
James E. Blanche	72
Bernard Moore	80
John K. Willard	81
N. Moore	1
Fred W. Vye	38
Fred M. French	35
Joseph Belcher	31
Augustus L. Chase	24
Winthrop B. Atherton	37
John E. Bradley	45
Edmond K. Belcher	50
George H. Eddy	35

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Edwin M. Mann	36
Walter L. Hickey	35
E. Lawrence Payne	29
Blanks	228

The result was declared and returns made to the Secretary of State and Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County.

The ballots used and unused were sealed in open Town Meeting.

Meeting dissolved at 10.30 P. M.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS NORFOLK SS.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:*

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Randolph qualified to vote in State elections to assemble in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, the seventh day of November next, at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there

to give in to the Selectmen on one ballot their votes for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney-General, Councillor for District No. 2, Senator for the First Norfolk District, Representative in the General Court for the Ninth Norfolk District, County Commissioner, Clerk of Courts, Register of Deeds.

Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the use of voting machines at all elections. (Chapter 75, Resolves 1911.)

Amendment to the Constitution increasing the taking of land and property for Highways or Streets. (Chapter 91, Resolves 1911.)

Acceptance of Chapter 634, Acts of 1911, entitled an act to authorize the counties of the Commonwealth to establish retirement systems for their employees.

The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5.45 o'clock A. M., and remain open until 2 o'clock P. M., and such longer time as the voters may determine.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies hereof at five or more public places in said town, seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph, this twenty-third day of October, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

JOHN E. McDONALD,

JAMES H. DUNPHY,

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,

Selectmen of Randolph.

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NORFOLK SS.

RANDOLPH, October 31, 1911.

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned, by posting attested copies of the Warrant at ten or more public places, ten days before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

JAMES McGERIGLE,

Constable.

STATE ELECTION

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday morning, November 6, 1911. The Warrant and return were read by John E. McDonald, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, and promptly at 5.45 A. M. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The Town Clerk administered the oath of office to the following election officers appointed by the Selectmen:

Ballot clerks, Thomas L. Stetson, Joseph W. O'Mahoney; Assistant ballot clerks, Herman Shaw, Daniel P. Lyons; officers at the gates, Dennis F. Mahoney, Frank Condon; Officer outside the hall, Thomas Fox; Tellers, Frank H.

Jaquith, George A. Roel, David Pope, Joseph Dennehy, George Kelleher, John J. Heney, Frank H. Tileston, Walter L. Hickey.

Ballot box opened at 9.30 A. M.

Number of ballots	449
Number registered	445

Ballot box opened at 11.45 A. M.

Registered	581
Number of ballots	581

At 2 P. M., voted to close the polls.

Whole number of ballots cast	701
Ballot box registered	702

FOR GOVERNOR

James F. Carey	21
Eugene N. Foss, D.	320
Eugene N. Foss, D. P.	74
Eugene N. Foss, no party	18
Louis A. Frothingham	251
Dennis McGoff	1
Frank N. Rand	4
Blanks	12

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FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Walter S. Hutchins	18
Robert Luce	258
William G. Merrill	5
Patrick Mulligan	4
David I. Walsh	386
Blanks	30

FOR SECRETARY

David Craig.....	5
Frank J. Donahue	369
Alfred H. Evans	6
Rose Fenner	15
Albert P. Langtry.....	264
Blanks	42

FOR TREASURER

Joseph M. Coldwell	18
Jeremiah P. McNally.....	3
Charles E. Peakes.....	4
Elmer A. Stevens	269
Augustus L. Thorndike	347
Blanks	60

FOR AUDITOR

Karl Lindstrand	3
Sylvester J. McBride	17
William W. Nash	7
Charles B. Strecker	354
John E. White	255
Blanks	65

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL

George W. Anderson	353
Henry C. Hess	5
George E. Rower, Jr.	14
James M. Swift	261
Blanks	68

FOR COUNCILLOR

J. Stearns Cushing	267
Henry J. Dixon	345
Blanks	89

FOR SENATOR

George L. Barnes	266
Rednor P. Coombs	355
William Littlefield	22
Blanks	58

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FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GENERAL COURT

John V. Beal	356
Albert Hess	23
Jeremiah O'Leary	300
Blanks	22

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

Richard Cunningham.....	317
Joseph Q. Hawes	23
John F. Merrill	286
Blanks	75

FOR CLERK OF COURTS

Louis A. Cook	337.
Cornelius Sullivan	178
J. J. Hurley.....	1
Blanks	185

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

John H. Burdakin	371
Herman Shaw	1
Blanks	329

Shall the proposed Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the use of voting machines at all elections be approved and ratified?

Yes.....	305
No	111
Blanks	285

AMENDMENT

Shall the proposed Amendment to the Constitution increasing the power of the legislature to authorize the taking of land and property for Highways or Streets be approved and ratified?

Yes.....	284
No	119
Blanks	298

AMENDMENT

Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, entitled an act authorizing the Counties of the Commonwealth to establish retirement systems for their employees be accepted?

Yes.....	314
No	107
Blanks	280

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The ballots, used and unused, were sealed up in open town meeting, returns made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and to the Clerk of the Courts for Norfolk County, and five o'clock P. M., the meeting was dissolved.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

MEETING OF TOWN CLERKS

STOUGHTON, MASS., November 17, 1911.

We, the undersigned, Town Clerks of Stoughton, Randolph and Sharon, comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the seventh day of November, 1911, to vote for one Representative, the following votes were given:

	R.	St.	S.	Total
John V. Beal of Randolph	356	526	225	1,107
Albert Hess of Randolph	23	38	2	63
Jeremiah O'Leary of Sharon	300	525	196	1,021
Blanks	22	25	9	56
	701	1114	432	2,247

John V. Beal was declared elected and a certificate issued to that effect.

GEORGE O. WENTWORTH,
Town Clerk of Stoughton.

GEORGE H. WHITTEMORE,
Town Clerk of Sharon.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk of Rando'ph.

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Table of Vital Statistics

The number of intentions of marriages, births and deaths recorded during the year 1911 was as follows:

Months	Intentions of marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	3	1	8	10
February	1	2	7	9
March	3	3	7	10
April	3	3	7	2
May	1		5	8
June	5	6	3	6
July	2	2	12	4
August	2	1	11	3
September	2	3	4	1
October	3	2	3	7
November	4	3	5	4
December	4	3	10	10
Totals ...	33	29	82	74

Whole number of births recorded	82
Males	38
Females	44
Whole number of deaths recorded	74
Males	31
Females	43
Under five years of age	16
Between 5 and 10 years	1
10 and 20 years	2
20 and 30 years	2
30 and 40 years	3
40 and 50 years	2
50 and 60 years	12
60 and 70 years	13
70 and 80 years	16
80 and 90 years	7
Whole number of intentions of marriages	33
Whole number of marriages	29
Couples both native born	23
one foreign, one native	6

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Marriages

RECORDED IN RANDOLPH, 1911

Date	Names	Residence	Age
Jan. 18	Walter E. Scanlon	Randolph	28
	Margaret M. McCarthy	Brockton	25
Feb. 15	Charles E. Dorman	Brockton	24
	Margaret M. Moran	Randolph	21
23	William Husband, Jr.	Randolph	28
	Lena A. Dodge	Randolph	27
Mar. 10	Edward T. White	Avon	17
	Olive B. Mann	Randolph	17
18	Arthur Sumner Jordan	Randolph	22
	Pearl Albaugh	Brockton	18
30	Henry Varley Caswell	Middleboro	35
	Mary Inez Spear	Randolph	31
April 12	Charles Arthur Wood	Randolph	30
	Clara B. Cobb	Quincy	35
14	John P. McManus	Braintree	34
	Catharine E. O'Brien	Randolph	27
23	Daniel O'Connell	Randolph	29
	Elizabeth J. McDonough	Belmont	28

MARRIAGES—*Continued*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
June 7	Chester Leroy Paine	Randolph	31
	Ila Lytle Carroll	Union, Me.	21
	James G. Heney	Randolph	29
	Emma C. Thatcher	Randolph	27
	Farrell H. Cain	Randolph	35
	Margaret T. Kane	Brookline	33
14	Arthur Howard Holbrook	Randolph	38
	Cora Wright Wheeler	Randolph	30
22	Frank J. McCabe	Easton	31
	Elizabeth J. Fardy	Randolph	29
29	John J. Barrett	Randolph	25
	Mary A. Brady	Boston	20
July 3	James F. Kelleher	Randolph	29
	Elizabeth M. McAuliffe	Randolph	34
	Horace French	Brockton	20
	Edith Olive Wentworth	Randolph	19
11	John Francis Dianto	Randolph	22
	Catharine Elizabeth Barry	South Boston	22
Aug. 28	John Francis Dianto	Randolph	22
	Catharine Elizabeth Barry	South Boston	22
Sept. 9	Robert W. Marshall	Brockton	29
	Clara G. Perry	Randolph	23
20	George Willie Stott	Randolph	25
	Susan Sabeau	Randolph	21

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MARRIAGES—*Concluded*

Date	Names	Residence	Age
Sept. 26	William Devine Annie T. Murphy (O'Keefe)	Randolph Randolph	46 29
Oct. 4	James Joseph Hurley Catharine Elizabeth Kelleher	Randolph Randolph	32 30
11	August C. Zielfelder Amelia B. Fischer	Boston Randolph	31 23
Nov. 20	Clarence Herbert Payne Florence Estella Blaney	Randolph Braintree	21 21
29	Timothy J. Hayes Alicè M. O'Connell	Dorchester Randolph	34 30
29	Edwin Cady Soule Bertha Elizabeth Devine	Randolph Randolph	29 26
Dec. 14	Ellis L. Mann Grace Daxberger	Randolph Stoughton	19 16
27	Harold David Carew Una May Bartram	Randolph Castine, Me.	25 22
27	John L. Mullins Grace E. Kennedy	Randolph Brockton	24 22

Births Registered in Randolph, 1911

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan. 4	Robert Cushman Griffin	M	Henry and Theodosia Johnson
6	John Francis Mahoney	M	John H. and Luella Robertie
8	Lenora Scanlon	F	Maurice A. and Ellen J. Hooper
15	Edward P. Lynch	M	Edward J. and Julia G. Foley
23	—— Neilson	F	Hans C. and Mabel Bailey
25	Edward Ahearn	M	Patrick T. and Mary A. Lavender
27	Catharine McLaughlin	F	William J. and Annie L. Shea
27	George Edward Crimmins	M	Patrick H. and Mary V. Donovan
Feb. 4	George Otis Ayers	M	George and Emma H. Franke
8	Catharine Crovo	F	Charles L. and Catharine Mahoney
16	—— O'Brien	F	Patrick and Bridget Green
19	Francis William Dolan	M	Charles J. and Dora A. Daly
22	Charles F. McDonald	M	Martin A. and Catharine B. Meaney
27	Lydia Elizabeth Williams	F	Hollis F. and Stella May Hurtle
7	Joseph R. Noel	M	Edward M. and Mary J. Burrill
Mar. 2	Catharine Josephine Gilfeather	F	James D. and Elizabeth Keenan
5	Edna May Bloom	F	Edyciton and Florence H. McDonald
10	Alice Gertrude Miller	F	George H. and Maude I. Bryant
10	George L. Pierce	M	George P. and Annie A. McNulty

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22	— Camelio	M	Erasmus and Maria Valiti
26	Beatrice Amy Paine	F	Ernest H. and Cora E. Tabor
28	John Hursell Crowell	M	Benjamin B. and Gertrude D. Hursell
April 5	Mae Rohi Romano	F	Vincent and Annie Bulzam
6	Devana Pelissier	F	William T. and Lillie V. McGregor
12	— Banks	F	John and Ethel Sherman
15	Grace Elizabeth Anderson	F	Charles E. and Mary E. Wise
15	Grace Elizabeth Taylor	F	James W. and Georgie Grace Murray
25	Daniel Joseph Kennedy	M	Daniel J. and Annie Gray
29	Arthur T. Clark	M	John E. and Catharine F. Toomey
May 5	Anna May Pierce	F	Thomas F. and Anna L. McGaughey
12	Reynolds Gunner Anderson	M	Iver and Olga Olanson
21	Lester De Pesa	M	Charles and Rosa Sora
21	Thomas Hoye	M	James G. and Ella Dixon
26	Bessie May Fiola	F	Joseph and Sadie Blanche Bill
June 13	William Deacy	M	John and Catharine G. McDonough
21	James Joseph Truelson	M	Charles and Catharine McCartin
25	Rupert Osmond Powers	M	Charles R., Jr., and Etta B. Randall
July 1	Marjori Kent	F	Harry H. and Jennie Caldwell
2	Juri Mae McLeod	F	Thomas R. and Nellie Johnston
2	Margaret May Brady	F	John J. and Margaret T. Crone
4	Maybelle Faunce	F	Frank E. and Elsie I. Fischer
5	Arthur Paul Franke	M	William C. and Gertrude Ayers
10	Harold Edward Dixon	M	George H. and Florence L. Baker
16	Sarah Thomas	F	Charles N. and Mary Wade Waite
17	— Madan	M	John and Ethel M. Hardy
20	Margaret Sullivan	F	George A. and Nora Coffee

BIRTHS—Concluded

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
July 25	William Arnison	M	Albert and Elvira Olson
26	Warren Leonard Claff	M	Mark B. and Mary R. Hamison
28	Stillborn		
Aug. 2	Ruth Louise Hewins	F	Andrew F. and Mabel Hayden
2	Oliver H. R. Gilker	M	Rupert C. and Stella Peters
6	Alice E. McFadden	F	Hugh and Celia G. Barry
7	Mildred F. Condon	F	Richard P. and Genevieve L. Meaney
13	Grace Madeline Alden	F	Jessie C. and Antoinette A. Hoye
14	Mary Margaret Foley	F	Cornelius F. and Catharine E. Mahoney
14	Ruth Elsie Hyler	F	Peter and Elizabeth Miller
16	Joseph E. White	M	Thomas E. and Olive B. Mann
19	Arthur Vincent R. Sass	M	Libero Antonio and Concetta Simeone
19	Alfred Warren S. Nelson	M	Albin and Selma Johnson
19	Joseph Francis Mahoney	M	Patrick J. and Mary Ellen Monk
Sept. 2	— Sullivan	F	Peter B. and Mary F. Conly
7	Ellen Gaynor	F	John F. and Isabelle G. Donahoe
23	Velhelma Cederholm	F	Theodore and Hilda Rose
30	Alice Barbara Sullivan	F	William P. and Elizabeth M. Lyons
Oct. 15	Madeline Agnes Hennessy	F	William T. and Nellie T. Walsh
22	Walter Charles French	M	Frank N. and Bertha E. Tucker

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24	Margaret Riley				
Nov. 3	Alice Marie Davis		F		P. Joseph and Susie G. Doherty
5	Emily Gertrude Lunt		F		Walter and Mabel Clark
7	Vincent George Morgan		F		John and Emily G. Hawkins
18	Stillborn		M		Edward D. and Genevieve Turner
23			—		—
Dec. 8	Hannah Louise Moore		F		Nicholas and Jennie M. Cronkite
9	Francis Laughlin		M		Thomas and Catharine G. Moore
9	Marjorie Maryetta Vogel		F		Wallace G. and Ida May Wade
12	Mary Ellen Scanlon		F		Walter E. and Margaret M. McCarthy
14	Helen Christina Shepard		F		H. Joseph and Bridget L. Marshall
15	Vincent Owen Kiernan		M		Thomas F. and Elizabeth A. Burns
17	— Barrett		M		John J. and Mary A. Brady
17	— Libby		F		H. Frank and Ellen Edwards
23	Mary Gertrude Edmandson		F		John H. and Nellie Pursell
24	Stillborn				

Deaths Registered in Randolph, 1911

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Jan. 1	Timothy E. Lyons	— 2 —	Acute enteritis	Randolph
5	Thomas J. Mullins	49 — —	Chronic myocarditis	Randolph
8	Katharine T. Dean (Sullivan)	35 11 8	Mitral disease of heart	Randolph
10	Mary Fox (Harty)	84 — —	Old age	Ireland
13	Sarah J. Lawless (Carroll)	54 — —	Pneumonia	Ireland
	Mary E. Donahoe	30 8 12	Hypertrophy and dilation of heart	Randolph
13	Johanna Lyons	78 — —	Chronic bronchitis	Ireland
15	Jessie McLellen	69 4 12	Cancer of uterus	Cape Breton
15	Ethel May Stone (Allen)	20 5 4	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph
28	Joshua Hunt	68 11 21	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph
Feb. 3	Elvira Holbrook (Eddy)	84 6 2	Pneumonia	Chelsea
5	Harvey L. Mahoney	5 5 15	Meningitis	Randolph
7	Thomas F. Campbell	45 4 20	Pleuro Pneumonia	Fredericton, N. B.
11	Jane E. Higgins	73 — 22	Pneumonia	Randolph
17	John C. Forrest	— 5 3	Pneumonia	Randolph
19	— O'Brien	— — 3	Marasmus	Braintree
23	Sumner H. Thayer	50 5 —	Aneurism	Randolph
25	Elizabeth B. Pendergrass (Binney)	80 8 1	Myocarditis	Randolph

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26	Catharine J. Hurley (Hogan)	55	2	1	Acute bronchitis	St. Johns, N. B.
Mar. 3	Maurice K. Ryan	10	5	6	Mitral insufficiency	Holliston
3	Emma Howe Belcher (King)	58	4	26	Chronic endocarditis	Randolph
3	Melissa White (Spear)	74	4	21	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph
5	Maurice E. Scanlon	67	5	4	Gastric carcinoma	Ireland
7	Mary Mahan	75	—	—	Acute bronchitis	Ireland
11	Jennie McAllister (McEwen)	54	—	—	Chronic myocarditis	Caledonia, N. Y.
20	Moses Teed	77	5	16	Angina pectoris	Sackville, N. B.
25	Michael Devine	58	10	16	Cancer of bladder	South Boston
28	Hugh Hickey	73	1	4	Septicaemia	Nova Scotia
29	— Camelio	—	—	7	Acute bronchitis	Randolph
April 19	Doris E. Luddington	—	7	29	Broncho pneumonia	Randolph
26	Catharine Frizzell	62	—	—	Arterio sclerosis	Ireland
May 2	Emma Schernerhorn (Dawson)	71	2	4	Abdominal tumor	England
7	Etta May Hayden	—	8	27	Meningitis	Randolph
13	Ellen E. Higgins	73	5	—	Apoplexy	Maine
15	Susan C. Long (Rounsville)	87	6	12	Old age	East Freetown
21	Ezra R. Payne	85	1	3	Arterio sclerosis	Randolph
23	Mary Kelleher (Dennehy)	72	—	—	Cerebral hemorrhage	Ireland
24	— Good	—	9 hrs.	—	Hemorrhage	Randolph
25	Samuel White	79	7	8	Pneumonia	Randolph
June 6	Mary A. Wilbur (Sullivan)	54	11	16	Hypertrophic cirrhosis of liver	Randolph
9	Annie Tolman Farnham (Howard)	60	2	29	Diabetes	Randolph
10	Thomas Frizzell	68	—	—	Nephritis	Ireland
15	Doris Odell	—	1	19	Broncho pneumonia	Boston
25	Johanna Bolin (Larson)	89	1	—	Cerebral hemorrhage	Sweden

DEATHS—*Concluded*

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
30 July	Bridget Boyle (Frizzell)	74 — —	Mitral insufficiency	Ireland
6	Margaret O'Reilly	65 — —	Myocarditis	Ireland
8	John Bigeloss, Jr.	74 9 19	Cerebral tumor	Vermont
13	Harold Ceasar Johnson	2 10 17	Odema of lungs	Boston
28	—	— — —	Stillborn	—
Aug. 6	Frederick Dee	12 6 21	Gastro enteritis	Randolph
26	Harriet Maria Prescott (Alden)	66 11 14	Locomotor ataxia	Randolph
27	William R. Roberts	68 10 28	Cerebral hemorrhage	Easton
Sept. 9	Catharine McLaughlin	— 7 12	Broncho pneumonia	Randolph
Oct. 2	Gertrude Louise Benson	1 4 —	Gastro enteritis	Randolph
5	Mary Sullivan	— 1 3	Marasmus	Randolph
11	John Haney	61 — —	Paralysis of Bowels	Frederickton, N. B.
12	Mary Meaney (McGrane)	73 — —	Cancer of superior maxillary	Ireland
21	Samuel Henry Buck	66 10 15	Chronic myocarditis	Randolph
21	James E. Blanche	53 5 23	Chronic myocarditis	Randolph
29	Ellen J. Whalen (Igo)	52 9 21	Carcinoma of uterus	Brighton
Nov. 10	Charles A. Kimball	61 — —	Carcinoma of stomach	Mass.
13	Lucy Walsh	79 10 —	Heart disease	Ireland
18	—	— — —	Stillborn	—
22	John C. Daly	63 — —	Bright's disease	Ireland

Dec. 4	Mary A. Murphy	55	3	16	Cerebro embolism	Randolph
5	Arthur Vincent Romola Sass	—	3	16	Erysipelas	Randolph
9.	Walter A. Mann	71	10	5	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph
10	Alice M. Field	58	7	27	Heart disease	No. Bridgewater
17	— Barrett	—	10	min	Open foremen ovale	Randolph
20	Winifred Ellen Smith	38	1	11	Accidental	South Boston
22	Catharine R. Dolan	24	11	23	Melancholia	Randolph
24	—	—	—	—	Stillborn	
22	Eunice A. Bowman	77	—	—	Appendicitis	Randolph
27	Michael Whalin	52	—	—	Chronic Interstitial myocarditis	Randolph

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Acute enteritis, diabetes, nephritis, cerebral tumor, œdema of the lungs, locomotor ataxia, paralysis of bowels, cancer of superior maxillary, carcinoma of stomach, Bright's disease, chronic embolism, erysipelas, accidental, melancholia, appendicitis, open foremen ovale, chronic interstitial myocarditis, mitral disease of heart, chronic bronchitis, pleuro pneumonia, aneurism, gastric carcinoma, angina pectoris, cancer of bladder, septicaemia, abdominal tumor, apoplexy, hemorrhage, hypertrophic cirrhosis of liver, chronic endocarditis, one each	31
Old age, gastro enteritis, heart disease, mitral insufficiency, myocarditis, cancer of uterus, meningitis, marasmus, two each	16
Arterio sclerosis, acute bronchitis, broncho pneumonia, cerebral hemorrhage, valvular disease of heart, three each	15
Chronic myocarditis	4
Pneumonia	5
Stillborn	3
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Interments at Randolph

OF PERSONS DYING ELSEWHERE, 1911

Date of death	Name	Age Y. M. D.			Place of death
Jan. 10	Theodore A. Levangie	1	4	14	Braintree
	Stillborn	—	—	—	Middleboro
26	Sarah A. Bond	64	10	4	Brockton
27	Lucy I. Jones	62	7	17	Canton
28	Ellen McGillicuddy	95	—	—	Quincy
Feb. 3	Catherine Purcell	2	11	12	Avon
4	Ansel A. Mann	60	1	25	Boston
13	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
13	Patrick Evering	75	7	10	Weymouth
14	Jane Carpenter	30	4	3	Braintree
17	Hannah Stetson	91	1	2	Stoughton
18	Charles Smith	70	—	—	Holbrook
20	Sarah J. Tirrell	64	2	9	E. Bridgewater
24	William H. Cuff	64	11	8	Braintree
Mar. 5	Margaret Megley	55	—	—	Taunton
10	Daniel Dillon	55	—	—	Braintree
10	Mary E. French	82	4	4	Quincy
14	Mary Frizzell	72	—	—	Whitman
14	Mary McLaughlin	68	—	—	Brockton
28	Helen Sullivan	—	5	dys.	Cambridge
31	Thomas E. Branley	53	—	—	Plymouth, N. H.
16	Robert M. Guiney	31	—	—	Quincy
29	Mary F. Guiney	—	5	9	Quincy
April 2	Clarence A. Hayden	18	10	30	Avon
3	Thomas D. Barry	50	2	30	Brockton
5	Thomas Neary	61	—	—	Taunton
6	Bernard J. Cahill	55	5	28	Sharon
12	Margaret Erving	80	1	3	Weymouth *
15	John Joseph McEachern	47	5	17	Quincy
16	Seth A. King	63	9	8	San Francisco

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INTERMENTS AT RANDOLPH—*Continued*

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
April 18	Hale S. Howard	70	8	11	Middletown, Conn.
May 2	Lillian A. Taylor	27	10	11	Quincy
4	Robert Johnson	65	8	—	Weymouth
5	Antonio Ciccolo	3	4	—	Braintree
7	Thelma B. Wheeler	9	20	—	Everett
8	Walter C. Wood	49	10	27	Braintree
18	Mitchell DeCota	83	6	—	Brockton
June 3	Margaret Heaney (Maguire)	34	3	21	Middlebury
3	Joseph C. Gavin	4	1	12	Quincy
4	Elizabeth O'Hearn	38	4	8	Quincy
5	Royal T. Howland	63	1	—	Avon
9	George W. Reynolds	29	8	10	Havana
12	Joseph Ashton McCrory	31	7	24	E. Bridgewater
17	Catherine E. McGaughey (Powers)	51	—	—	Brockton
July 3	Stillborn	—	—	—	Quincy
8	Ellen A. Vaughn	58	11	3	Whitman
8	Francis W. Levangi	—	—	2	Braintree
13	Louis DeBordene	—	—	28	Braintree
21	Stillborn	—	—	—	Holbrook
31	Mary Stuart	—	—	1	Boston
Aug. 6	John J. Mahoney	—	2	25	Quincy
7	Jeremiah McCarthy	103	—	—	Avon
14	Richard Burke	—	8	7	Boston
15	William H. Doyle	54	—	—	Bridgewater
21	James H. Connelly	—	—	16	Quincy
22	Katharine E. Frazier	40	11	4	Braintree
30	Reynolds	—	—	—	New York
Sept. 2	Arthur W. Whitcomb	11	8	18	Holbrook
9	Catharine L. Brady	36	—	—	San Mateo, Cal.
20	George Henry French	67	4	27	Hyde Park
21	Stillborn	—	—	—	Braintree
23	Paul Regan	1	7	1	Milton

INTERMENTS AT RANDOLPH—*Concluded*

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Sept. 24	Wilbur E. Kiernan	—	—	7	Weymouth
24	Henry Corbett	67	1	29	Quincy
Oct. 10	Ellen M. Buckley	62	—	—	Brockton
17	Thomas Corcoran	82	9	10	Weymouth
21	George Constantino	—	5	5	Braintree
24	Thomas Levangi	71	—	—	Quincy
25	John J. Megley	23	7	11	Holbrook
26	Mary Kinnier	49	—	—	Boston
26	John Lynch	62	—	—	Palmer
27	John James Kennedy	3	10	—	Braintree
31	Matthew J. Heaney	28	—	—	Boston
Nov. 5	Edwin F. Vinal	45	4	4	Braintree
14	Hester E. Dickey	46	5	—	Stoughton
13	Mary A. Hawks (Tirrell)	31	6	12	Holbrook
18	Frederick W. Tileston	69	6	16	Brockton
17	Mary A. Crowley	40	—	—	Tewksbury
19	Ambrose M. Levangi	17	1	22	Braintree
28					
28	Harriet Judkins Hunt	70	8	24	Wakefield
28	Bessie Lee Dupree	28	6	16	New York
Dec. 6	Sanford H. Leach	58	10	24	Somerville
10	Joseph Howard	20	—	—	Rutland
18	Antosie Zaperaska	—	10	11	Quincy
29	Mary Feeney	88	—	—	Stoughton

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Should any person discover an error in the preceding records, he will confer a favor by notifying the Town Clerk, that correction may be made.

The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk.

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Seventy-Seventh Annual Report

OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, School
Committee, Engineers of the Fire Department,
Superintendent of Streets, Board of Health,
Town Clerk and Town Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TOGETHER WITH

The Reports of the Trustees of the Stetson School
Fund, the Trustees of the Turner Free Library
and of the Water Commissioners

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1912

OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1912-13

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND DANIEL DRISCOLL
CHARLES H. THAYER

Assessors

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND Term expires 1913
JOHN E. McDONALD Term expires 1914
CHARLES H. THAYER Term expires 1915

Town Clerk and Treasurer PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN

School Committee

REDMOND P. BARRETT Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG Term expires 1914
GEORGE V. HIGGINS Term expires 1915

Water Commissioners

*DANIEL B. WHITE Term expires 1913
RICHARD F. FORREST Term expires 1914
WILLIAM F. BARRETT Term expires 1915

Auditors

MICHAEL F. CUNNINGHAM JOHN K. WILLARD
JOHN B. WREN

Constables

FRANK W. HARRIS, JOSEPH H. FOSTER, *P. JOSEPH RILEY
FRANK J. DONAHUE, JAMES W. McGERIGLE, LINCOLN
STETSON, FRED W. VYE.

Tax Collector

EDWARD LONG

Registrars of Voters

JAMES FARDY EDMUND K. BELCHER
PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN JOHN H. FIELD

Fence Viewers

CHARLES F. BLANCHE ALBERT F. BICKFORD
WESLEY C. POOLE

Engineers of Fire Department

RICHARD F. FORREST MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN
GEORGE A. ROEL, Clerk

Warden of Almshouse

MICHAEL M. SULLIVAN

Keeper of Lockup

BERNARD MOORE

Representative to General Court
JEREMIAH O'LEARY of Sharon

*Deceased

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Report of the Assessors

The assessors herewith submit their annual report for the year ending December 31, 1912:

VALUATION

	1911	1912	Gain
Real Estate	\$2,134,850 00	\$2,175,950 00	\$41,100 00
Personal	448,200 00	555,050 00	106,850 00
	\$2,583,050 00	\$2,731,000 00	\$147,950 00
Value of buildings			\$1,493,650 00
Value of land			682,300 00
Value of personal property			555,050 00
			\$2,731,000 00
Town tax			\$51,741 76
State tax			3,937 50
State highway tax			95 00
County tax			1,754 14
Overlay			635 01
			\$58,163 41

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Estimated corporation tax, P. S.	\$1,549 42	
Estimated corporation tax, B.	2,001 12	
Estimated bank tax	1,493 27	
1,139 polls	2,278 00	
		7,366 81
Amount to be raised on property		\$50,796 60
Tax rate, \$18.60		
Tax on real estate		\$40,472 67
Tax on personal estate		10,323 93
1,139 polls		2,278 00
Amount committed to collector		\$53,074 60

ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS

Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway Co.	\$52 30
Bay State Street Railway Co.	1,655 88
Tax on real estate	167 40
Tax on personal estate	1,359 66
Total amount committed to Collector	\$56,309 84

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Residents taxed on property	765
All others	116
Non-residents taxed on property	387
All others	20
Number of persons assessed poll tax only	732
Number of horses assessed	236
Number of cows	283
Number of swine	93
Number of neat cattle	6
Number of fowl	3,130
Number of dwellings	1,008
Acres of land	5,586

Estimated Value of Town Property

December 31, 1912

Almshouse property and farm	\$12,000 00
Town Hall and land	18,000 00
One steam fire engine and apparatus	5,500 00
One Babcock extinguisher and apparatus	800 00
Three engine houses and lockup	4,200 00
Land, "Clark estate"	1,200 00
Highway plant	5,000 00
Schoolhouse and land, So. Main St.	2,000 00
Schoolhouse and land, School St.	7,500 00
Schoolhouse and land, Chestnut St.	1,800 00
Schoolhouse and land, Belcher St.	9,250 00
Land, North St.	200 00

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Schoolhouse and land, Lafayette St.	1,600 00
Prescott Schoolhouse and land, Ward and School Sts.	17,000 00
Turner High School fund for medals	1,000 00
Stetson High School Fund	20,000 00
Turner Free Library, building and land	40,000 00
Turner Free Library	20,000 00
Turner fund (Library)	10,000 00
Royal W. Turner Free Library Fund	20,000 00
Coddington Fund	1,900 00
E. Fanny Belcher lot	1,000 00
Stetson High School	32,000 00
Water Works	164,000 00
	\$395,950 00

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	Appropriation	Credits	Totals	Payments	Overdrawn	Unexpended
Schools, including Stetson High.....	\$1,5330 00	\$1,209 52	16,539 52	17,806 46	1,266 94	
Almshouse	2,000 00	1,059 55	3,059 55	3,407 03	347 48	.....
Poor out of Almshouse.....	2,500 00	190 71	2,690 71	3,484 62	793 91	.....
Poor of other towns.....	.....	.....	.....	1,065 62	.....	.....
Poor of Randolph and Holbrook.....	200 00	79 40	279 40	238 20	.....	41 20
Soldiers' relief.....	150 00	.....	150 00	845 86	696 86	.....
Highways and removal of snow.....	3,500 00	3,618 53	7,118 53	6,130 31	.....	988 22
Pay of Physicians.....	250 00	.....	250 00	200 00	.....	50 00
Military Aid.....	250 00	298 00	548 00	456 00	.....	92 00
Town officers.....	2,200 00	.....	2,200 00	2,277 24	77 24	.....
State Aid.....	.....	.....	.....	3,850 00	.....	.....
Board of Health.....	200 00	.....	200 00	181 55	.....	18 45
Interest	2,800 00	1,738 05	4,538 05	4,446 50	.....	91 55
Lockup	150 00	.....	150 00	226 50	76 50	.....
Abatement of taxes	300 00	.....	300 00	314 21	14 21	.....
Town debt	4,800 00	.....	4,800 00	4,800 00	.....	.....
Miscellaneous.....	1,600 00	66 21	1,666 21	2,110 42	444 21	.....
Gypsy Moth.....	1,033 22	17 80	1,051 02	975 21	.....	75 81
Tree Warden.....	500 00	.....	500 00	443 57	.....	56 43
Births, marriages and deaths.....	150 00	.....	353 42	176 10	.....	.....
Insurance	300 00	203 42	.....	.....	.....	177 32
Street lighting.....	3,948 50	.....	300 00	399 65	99 65	.....
Street watering.....	500 00	.....	3,948 50	3,570 23	.....	378 27
Treasurer's bond.....	100 00	.....	500 00	500 00	.....	.....
Tax Collector's bond.....	40 00	.....	100 00	100 00	.....	.....
Decoration of soldiers graves.....	150 00	.....	40 00	40 00	.....	.....
Fire Department.....	150 00	.....	150 00	150 00	.....	.....
Water Sinking fund.....	3,600 00	.....	3,600 00	3,561 32	.....	38 68
Almshouse Special.....	2,500 00	.....	2,500 00	2,500 00	.....	.....
Special police.....	325 00	.....	325 00	381 81	56 81	.....
Care of clocks.....	700 00	.....	700 00	726 30	26 30	.....
Turner Free Library.....	20 0	.....	20 00	20 00	.....	.....
State Tax.....	250 00	.....	250 00	250 00	.....	.....
State highway tax.....	3,937 50	.....	3,937 50	3,937 50	.....	.....
County tax	95 00	.....	95 00	95 00	.....	.....
Forest fires.....	1,754 14	.....	1,754 14	1,754 14	.....	.....
Burial of indigent soldiers.....	.....	.....	.....	706 60	706 60	.....
Overdraft, 1912.....	1,689 51	.....	1,689 51	74 00	.....	.....
	\$57,822 87	\$8,481 19	\$66,304 06	\$72,202 95	\$4,606 71	\$2,007 93
Overdrawn .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2,598 78

Report of Selectmen

The Selectmen of the Town of Randolph for the year 1912 herewith submit their report of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1912.

The statement of expenditures and appropriations on the preceding page shows a total overdraft of \$2,598.78.

The increase in the valuation of the Town of Randolph over \$2,500,000. has rendered the town ineligible to share in the Mass. School Fund. This was something not anticipated by the Committee on appropriation and caused a loss to the School Department of about \$900.

The care and support of the worthy poor while always a difficult problem, has in recent years become a matter of grave concern to the taxpayer. The appropriation has been gradually reduced and the increase in population has not been taken into consideration by the Annual Appropriation Committee. Sickness or hospital expenses cannot be anticipated or guarded against and this year have resulted in a large expenditure over and above the appropriation made for the Poor out of Almshouse.

The overdraft at the Almshouse can be readily understood when one considers that the average number of

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inmates has been larger than at any time for several years.

The frequency of wood and forest fires during the past year has been a source of great expense to the town. No provision was made at the Annual Town Meeting to provide money to meet this expense and a deficit of \$706.60 on this one item is the result.

Overdrafts and unexpended balances in the other departments of the town approximately balance.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,

Selectmen.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Selectmen:

Work on the highways was begun, according to the usual custom, by cleaning the gutters as soon as the ground would permit in the spring. After which graveling and other repairs were done on the various streets as follows: Mt. Pleasant Sq. to Belcher Street, 88 loads of gravel, laid 230 ft. drain pipe, built a new catch basin; North Street, 1,178 loads of cobble stone, 241 loads of gravel, 2 carloads of ashes, 100 ft. drain pipe; West Street, removed large stones and stump, 84 loads gravel, cleaned drain; Warren Street, 85 loads gravel; South Main Street, 139 loads stone, 640 loads gravel, 15 car loads gravel, 11

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car loads ashes, 88 loads stone dust, 10 ft. drain pipe, repaired sidewalk, repaired catch basin; North Main Street, 102 loads gravel, cleaned and flushed drain, 10 ft. drain pipe; Liberty Street, 228 loads gravel; Grove Street, 46 loads gravel; Chestnut Street, 82 loads gravel; Wales Ave., 93 loads gravel; Plain Street, 15 loads gravel, cleaned and flushed drain; Ward Street, 15 loads gravel; School Street, 29 loads gravel; Oak Street, 48 ft. drain pipe, 56 loads gravel; Canton Street, 43 loads gravel; High Street, 22 loads gravel; South Street, 22 loads gravel; Jelte Street, 22 loads gravel; Howard Street, 31 loads gravel, cleaned and flushed drain; Fowler Street, 6 loads gravel; Cross Street, 5 loads gravel; Cottage Street, 44 loads gravel, built new catch basin, cleaned all catch basins, mowed the grass and cut the brush on all streets that needed it; repaired the fences on various streets that needed it; oiled the Main street from Avon line to the State line which was quite expensive but a great saving to the street. Paid snow bill of 1911 and 1912; crushed 1,000 tons stone. Woodlawn Street, built new catch basin and laid 60 ft. drain pipe. Repairs on crusher quite an expense. Would recommend that Tarvia for the streets would be a great saving.

C. F. BLANCHE,

Supt. of Streets.

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GENERAL REPAIRS

Paid Charles F. Blanche, superintendent	\$570 00
James Barry, labor	340 00
Thomas Barry, labor	8 00
William F. Barrett, labor	4 00
John P. Brady, labor	4 50
Joseph Brady, labor	3 00
Thomas Boyle, labor	6 00
David Burke, labor	12 50
John Carr, labor	40 00
Frank Carroll, labor	5 00
John Collins' man and team	31 94
William Coakley, labor	13 00
Edward Condon, labor	1 00
William H. Carroll, team and labor	115 00
Frank Cullen, labor	9 00
Arthur Dee, labor	34 25
Thomas Dee, labor	4 00
J. Munroe Dyer, team and labor	14 00
C. F. Dianto, supplies	50
John Desmond, labor	4 00
John F. Desmond, labor	200 26
Thomas Deneil, labor	13 25
Thomas Devine, labor	17 00
James Devine, team and labor	192 81
Thomas Duff, labor	277 75
C. C. Fish, engineer	282 63
Michael Ford, labor	4 00

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John Gill, labor	12 75
John Gaynor, labor	16 00
Michael Good, labor	348 75
William Hanley, labor	2 00
Jeremiah Harty, labor	13 00
William Hatchfield, labor	15 75
Robert Hamilton, labor	13 00
John Harris, labor	6 75
Jas. Hoyer, labor	68 25
Arthur Johnson, labor	71 50
William Jones, labor	8 00
Michael Kennedy, labor	11 00
Michael E. Leahy, team and labor	272 06
Nicholas Linnehan, labor	323 00
Rufus Mann, labor	171 50
James Mann, labor	2 00
Daniel Mooney, labor	60 00
Edward J. McMahon, labor	13 00
Timothy Mullins, labor	13 00
Euclid Messier, labor	11 00
Edward J. Meeghan, labor	12 00
John Meany, team and labor	182 44
Appleton Nightingale, labor	34 00
Jeremiah O'Neil, labor	4 00
John O'Connell, labor	13 00
Gerald Purcell, labor	11 00
John Reynolds, labor	11 00
William Rudderham, labor	42 00

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Patrick Riley, labor	17 00
William Shepherd, labor	2 00
John Sheehan, labor	224 75
Rufus A. Thayer, team and labor	3 50
Andrew Tracey, labor	2 00
John Wilkinson, labor	29 00
James P. Welch, labor	73 00
Frank Woodman, labor	37 50
Forest Whalen, labor	50
Barrett Mfg. Co.	3 84
George F. Taylor, stock and labor	11 90
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	118 19
Brockton Gas Light Co., oil	441 15
Frank W. Harris, expressing	2 80
Randolph Cash Store, supplies	6 48
Wolworth Mfg. Co., supplies	2 10
Acme Road Machine Co., supplies	7 50
Rufus A. Thayer	8 25
Edgar T. Ward & Son, supplies	1 49
Merrimac Iron Foundry, supplies	12 50
Charles H. Cole, labor	5 00
Stephen B. Church, supplies	2 25
Walter W. Field & Son, supplies	3 14
Randolph Coal Co.	103 67
Merrimac Chemical Co., supplies	60 75
Jenney Mfg. Co., supplies	11 14
Dexter T. Clark, surveying	4 00
F. J. Billingham, supplies	15 00

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Lumber and plank	3 00
Electric Express	20
M. E. Leahy	28 05
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., supplies	4 75
J. B. McNeill, supplies	34 13
Antonio Johnson, gravel	15 12
George Chisholm, gravel	19 18
Mary E. Wales, gravel	13 09
Jesse Taber, gravel	5 88
Hans C. Neillson, gravel	2 80
Lincoln Stetson, gravel	10 64
J. G. & S. B. Ferguson, gravel	3 01
Marcus L. Tirrell, gravel	3 85
Mrs. H. B. Alden, gravel	56
Thomas Fernald, gravel	49
Edwin M. Mann, gravel	1 05
Isaac Mann, gravel	5 60
William H. Carroll, gravel	77
Robert Bloom, gravel	3 22
S. Corliss, gravel	21
Michael Ford, gravel	21
James Devine, gravel	35 35
Mrs. J. C. Dunbar, gravel	21 84
Rufus A. Thayer, gravel	63 77
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	6 13
S. Thayer, post	50
Town teams, labor	440 06
M. Corcoran	35

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J. Edward Devine, stone	7 70
Jason Mitchell, window	1 10
Peter Gibson, gravel	56
J. B. Mahoney, supplies	1 30
Telephone charges	1 60
C. C. Fish, cash paid	3 00
Charles F. Blanche, expense to Boston and Brockton	3 95
	\$5,922 56

REMOVING SNOW

Paid Albert F. Bickford	21 00
Charles F. Blanche	27 25
William H. Carroll	38 25
James Devine	25 50
James M. Dyer	23 00
Charles A. Dyer	3 00
Edwin F. Knight	21 75
Rufus A. Mann	6 50
M. E. Leahy	41 50
	\$207 75

SUMMARY

For general repairs	\$5,922 56
Removing snow	207 75
	\$6,130 31

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Credits

Town appropriation	\$3,500 00	
Bay State Street Railway Co. ex-		
cise tax	1,655 88	
Street Railway tax	1,863 10	
Bristol & Norfolk Street Railway		
Co., excise tax	52 30	
Brockton Gas Light Co.	47 25	
	\$7,118 53	
Unexpended		\$988 22

MISCELLANEOUS

Paid Walter L. Hickey, printing town reports,		
etc.		\$544 85
Hartford Steam Boiler Ins. Co., insurance	15 00	
Heirs of John Haney	2 45	
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	93 54	
Frank W. Harris, expressing	69 68	
Adams, Cushing & Foster, stationery	3 85	
Bernard Moore, care of hall and Select-		
men's room		93 75
Wesley C. Poole, distributing town reports	13 00	
Flagg & Willis	9 54	
Charles F. Gettemy, certifying notes	21 00	
P. B. Murphy, printing	4 15	
Horace Niles Post, 110, G. A. R. on order		
of Moderator		

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Fred M. French, for services	25 00
J. R. McCool, record of probate	13 00
Charles A. Rivers, dinners	25 00
E. L. Burdakin, record of transfers	25 00
William J. Good, professional services	76 67
H. B. McArdle	8 40
Arthur Alden	26 24
Randolph & Holbrook Elec. Light Co.	45 29
P. F. Clark, supplies	7 50
J. L. Fairbanks, stationery	3 00
Meek Pub. Co., printing	2 68
Edward M. Mann, fuel Selectmen's room	20 00
E. L. McAuliffe, stationery	1 25
W. & L. E. Gurley, sealer's supplies	1 42
Dexter T. Clark, surveying	19 00
Randolph Coal Co., supplies	3 50
William Crossley, papers	1 00
Howard Randall, supplies	1 00
Frank Connors, dinners	31 00
Charles H. Thayer, expense and cash paid	25 85
Cartwright & Harley, carriage	5 00
Eastern Fountain Co., drinking fountain	25 00
John B. Wren, auditing tax collector's book	15 00
Michael F. Cunningham, auditing tax collector's books	15 00
John K. Willard, auditing tax collector's books	15 00

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Henry Campbell, painting signs	8 00
Library Bureau, blanks	5 50
W. L. Pulson, repairing fence	23 85
Hobbs & Warren, stationery	22 00
Bernard Saxton, stationery	1 10
Jeremiah J. Desmond, expense and cash paid	15 50
F. A. Hyde & Co.	55 75
Edwin M. Mann, examining records at Dedham	25 00
F. J. Donahue	6 15
Rockland Stand Pub. Co., printing	4 00
E. A. Stevens, Treasurer	1 00
Rufus A. Thayer	5 00
Charles F. Blanche, carriage	21 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	2 07
Lee H. Porter, medicine	1 00
Daniel Driscoll, cash paid	7 15
Randolph & Holbrook Elec. Light Co., new fixtures on Canton St.	26 01
P. H. McLaughlin, work on election blanks and cash paid	45 35
Michael M. Sullivan, cash paid	17 90
Norman F. Baker, teller, election	3 00
James B. Clark, teller, election	3 00
Michael E. Clark, teller, election	3 00
Michael E. Clark, cash paid	1 50
Joseph Dennehy, teller	3 00

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George H. Dixon, teller	3 00
Joseph B. Harris, teller	3 00
Wm. Hurley, teller	3 00
Frank H. Jaquith, teller	12 00
George V. Kelleher, teller	3 00
Michael E. Leahy, ballot clerk	9 00
Daniel P. Lyons, ballot clerk	9 00
Dennis Mahoney, election officer	10 00
Timothy Mullins, teller	3 00
Edward J. McMahon, election officer	5 00
Hugh McMahon, teller	3 00
Joseph J. McMahon, teller	9 00
Lawrence A. McGrath, teller	6 00
Edward Murphy, teller	6 00
Joseph W. O'Mahoney, election officer	5 00
M. Frank Peletier, teller	3 00
Chas. W. Procter, teller	3 00
Charles Powderly, teller	3 00
George A. Roel, teller	3 00
Heman Shaw, teller	12 00
John N. Shipman, teller	6 00
Thos. L. Stetson, ballot clerk	15 00
Michael F. Sullivan, election officer	10 00
Wm. P. Sullivan, teller	3 00
Percy Thompson, teller	3 00
Frank Tileston, teller	6 00
George A. Wheeler, teller	3 00
Michael L. Dorey, police duty	7 50

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Joseph Foster, police duty	7 50
A. S. Frier, police duty	3 00
John F. Gill, election officer and police duty	31 00
Arthur Hagney, police duty	7 50
Thomas F. Kiernan, police duty	7 50
Wm. Mahady, police duty	40 00
Frank D. Mahoney, police duty	7 50
James W. McGrigle, police duty	19 00
E. Lawrence Payne, police duty	7 50
John P. Rooney, police duty	19 00
Charles F. Stetson, police duty	6 00
William F. Rooney, election officer	5 00
P. Fitzgerald, police duty 1911 and 1912	27 50
Fred M. French, election officer	15 92
E. W. Campagna, labor on voting booths	33 80
R. E. O'Brien, supplies	88 56
K. J. Dennehy, supplies	3 20

\$2,110 42

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Refund	66 21
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\$2,044 21

Appropriation	\$1,600 00
Overdrawn	444 21

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

Paid Jeremiah J. Desmond	\$250 00
Daniel Driscoll	200 00
Charles H. Thayer	200 00

Assessors

Paid Jeremiah J. Desmond	\$250 00
Charles H. Thayer	150 00
John B. McDonald	150 00

Town Treasurer

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin	\$300 00
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Auditors

Paid Michael F. Cunningham	\$30 00
John A. Wren	30 00
John K. Willard	30 00

Registrars of Voters

Paid John H. Field	\$50 00
Edmund K. Belcher	50 00
James Fardy	50 00
Patrick H. McLaughlin	75 00

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Inspectors of Animals

Paid James Riley	\$83 34
P. Joseph Riley	16 66

Collector of Taxes

Paid Edward Long for 1911 and 1912	\$352 50
Arthur Alden for 1908	9 74

\$2,277 24

Appropriation	\$2,200 00
Overdrawn	77 24

Special Police

Paid James McGerigle to Jan. 15, 1913	\$726 30
Appropriation	\$700 00
Overdrawn	26 30

Care of Clocks

Paid Arthur W. Alden	20 00
Appropriation	\$20 00

Schools

Paid Sundry accounts	\$17,806 46
(See report of School Committee)	
Appropriation	\$15,330 00
Credits	1,209 52
Overdrawn	1,266 94

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Board of Health

Paid Edward J. Donahue, burial of dog	1 00
John B. Wren, fumigating	54 00
Frank Riley, burying calf	1 50
Frank M. Harris, expressing	1 55
Melvin & Badger, supplies	35 00
J. B. McNeill	1 50
William Mahady, burial of dogs	2 00
National Chemical Co., supplies	15 00
Cartwright & Hurley, fumigating	8 00
George E. Bolling, examination of cultures	2 00
Jeremiah J. Desmond, services	20 00
Daniel Driscoll, services	20 00
Charles H. Thayer, services	20 00
	\$181 55
Appropriation	\$200 00
Unexpended	18 45

Decoration of Soldiers' Graves

Paid Horace Niles Post, 110, G. A. R.	\$150 00
Appropriation	\$150 00

Fire Department

Paid Engineers of Fire Department	\$3,561 32
(See report of engineers)	
Appropriation	\$3,600 00
Unexpended	38 68

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Forest Fires

Paid Fire Warden and others	\$706 60
No appropriation	

Lockup

Paid Randolph Coal Co., coal	\$7 75
M. E. Leahy, coal	17 00
Bernard Moore, salary	100 00
Bernard Moore, supplies	42 75
Gearge A. Roel, labor	2 00
Edward J. Meeghan, labor	9 00
Gerald Kiley, painting	18 00
E. W. Campagna, labor	23 51
Howard Randall, supplies	84
R. E. O'Brien, labor	4 70
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	70
Lee H. Porter, supplies	25
	\$226 50

Appropriation	\$150 00
Overdrawn	76 50

Burial of Indigent Soldiers

Paid for burial of sundry persons	\$74 00
No appropriation	
To be refunded by State	

Births, Marriages, Deaths and Court Fees

Paid John B. Wren	\$24 50
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E. Lawrence Payne, court fees	1 40
P. H. McLaughlin, recording	80 00
Dr. J. M. Murphy, returning birth	25
Dr. E. P. Linfield, returning births	1 00
Dr. H. E. Goddard, returning births	1 00
James W. McGerigle, court expenses	20 60
P. H. McLaughlin	1 00
William Mahedy, court fee	3 60
A. L. Chase, M. D., returning births	1 75
G. V. Higgins, M. D., returning births	3 75
A. W. Myrich, M. D., returning births	8 25
F. C. Granger, M. D., returning births	5 50
Cartwright & Hurley, returning deaths	23 50
	\$176 10
Appropriation	\$150 00
Credits	203 42
Unexpended	\$177 32
Treasurer's Bond	
Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$100 00
Appropriation	\$100 00
Tax Collector's Bond	
Paid Joseph T. Leahy	\$40 00
Appropriation	\$40 00
Street Watering	
Paid Timothy Lyons	\$500 00
Appropriation	\$500 00

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Interest

Paid Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer		\$4,446 50
Appropriation	\$2,800 00	
Credits	1,738 05	
Unexpended		\$91 55

Street Lighting

Paid Randolph & Holbrook Elec. Light Co.		\$3,570 23
Appropriation	\$3,800 00	
Appropriation	148 50	
Unexpended		\$378 27

Abatement of Taxes

Paid Edward Long, collector		\$314 21
Appropriation	\$300 00	
Overdrawn	14 21	

Turner Free Library

Paid Treasurer		\$250 00
Appropriation	\$250 00	

Insurance

Paid Fred M. French		\$241 42
Joseph T. Leahy		158 23
		\$399 65
Appropriation	\$300 00	
Overdrawn	99 65	

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Town Debt

Paid P. H. McLaughlin, Tr.	\$4,800 00
Appropriation	\$4,800 00

State Tax

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$3,937 50
Appropriation	\$3,937 50

State Highway Tax

Paid Elmer A. Stevens, Treasurer	\$95 00
Appropriation	\$95 00

County Tax

Paid Henry D. Humphrey, Treasurer	\$1,754 14
Appropriation	\$1,754 14

Water Sinking Fund

Paid Water Commissioners	\$2,500 00
Appropriation	\$2,500 00

Soldiers' Relief

Paid sundry persons	\$846 86
Appropriation	\$150 00
Overdrawn	696 86

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Military Aid

Paid sundry persons		\$456 00
Appropriation	\$250 00	
To be refunded by State	228 00	
To be refunded by Holbrook	70 00	
Unexpended		\$92 00

State Aid

Paid sundry persons		\$3,850 00
No appropriation		
To be refunded by State		

Soldiers' Relief Whose Military Settlement is in Randolph and Holbrook

Paid sundry persons		\$238 20
Appropriation	\$200 00	
To be refunded by Holbrook	79 40	
Unexpended		\$41 20

Poor Out of Almshouse

Paid sundry persons		\$3,484 62
Appropriation	\$2,500 00	
Credits	190 71	
Overdrawn	793 91	

Poor of Other Towns

Paid sundry persons		\$1,065 62
No appropriation		
To be refunded		

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Pay of Physicians

Paid A. L. Chase, M. D.	\$50 00
F. C. Granger, M. D.	50 00
George V. Higgins, M. D.	50 00
A. W. Myrick, M. D.	50 00
Appropriation	\$250 00
Unexpended	\$50 00

Tree Warden

Paid Charles F. Blanche and others labor	\$405 62
Crocker Rubber Co.	14 00
Walter L. Hickey	9 00
John B. McNeill	14 70
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. freight	25
	443 57
Appropriation	\$500 00
Unexpended	\$56 43

Gypsy Moths

Paid Charles T. Blanche and others labor	\$941 62
John B. Mahoney, supplies	28
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	45
Brockton Gas Light Co.	2 05
R. E. O'Brien	27 87
Barrett Mfg. Co.	1 89

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Adam's Express	25
Oil	80

975 21

Appropriation	\$1,033 22
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Credits	17 80
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Unexpended	\$75 81
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Almshouse Special

Paid E. W. Campagne	75 77
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R. E. O'Brien	55 79
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A. O. Daniels	25 25
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Herbert E. Saunders	225 00
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\$381 81

Appropriation	\$325 00
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Overdrawn	56 81
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Report of the Overseers of the Poor

Whole number of inmates during the year	37
Number discharges	20
Number of deaths	1
Present number	22
Net expense	\$2,288. 05
Number of inmate weeks	998 6-7

Almshouse

Paid M. M. Sullivan	\$500 01
Frank Wales	9 00
Flagg & Willis	61 83
Crocker Rubber Co.	4 75
Besse Baker Co.	3 17
James Edgar Co.	1 25
N. E. Telephone & Telegraph Co.	26 92
Milay Soap Co.	17 50
John P. Hanley	51 04
Randolph Cash Store	90 56
Walter M. Howard	56 37
R. E. O'Brien	74 84
George H. Eddy	210 44

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John B. Mahoney	124 61
R. J. McAuliffe	215 21
F. W. Hayden & Co.	142 84
T. J. Cummings	37 21
Frank Dianto	332 45
C. J. Duggan	35 00
Eugene L. McAuliffe	2 00
George W. Shedd	3 00
N. E. Buck	250 83
John B. McNeill	55 25
J. D. Murphy	5 00
Cohen Bros.	27 75
P. H. McLaughlin	72 22
Joseph Breck & Sons	9 55
J. F. Anderson	3 43
Frank W. Harris	20 05
C. Fred Lyons	139 23
L. Richmond & Co.	10 38
Arthur Hagney	31 15
L. H. Boyle	36 00
John Roddan	1 00
Randolph Coal Co.	23 65
James Fardy	26 35
Herbert E. Saunders	12 70
John Collins	7 50
Mrs. Ellen T. Procter	8 90
Charles N. Saunders	133 26
Mrs. A. Lizzie Mann	11 43

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William Crossley	6 00
Daniel Cullity	100 23
Eugene Thayer	45 31
Herbert A. Poole	10 00
M. E. Leahy	189 03
Albert F. Bickford	6 50
Cartwright & Hurley	6 00
Herbert F. Reynolds	56 06
Frank J. McEnelly	11 75
Charles A. Lyman	2 15
Eugene W. Campagne	10 42
Charles H. Cole	8 00
Cyrus M. Eddy	1 00
Charles F. Blanche	1 00
Maurice A. Scanlon	1 20
Lee H. Porter	24 45
James W. Taylor	13 80
John N. Shipman	50
John B. Wren	28 00

\$3,407 03

Almshouse

Dr.

Stock on hand December 31, 1911	\$2,836 57
Salaries and Supplies 1912	3,407 03
	\$6,243 60

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Cr.

Stock on hand December 31, 1912	\$2,896 00
Sale of cow	47 00
Sale of calf	7 00
Sale of produce	291 92
Board	272 50
Labor of town teams	440 06
Flagg & Willis	1 07
Net expense	2,288 05
	\$6,243 60

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
Credits	1,059 55

	\$3,059 55
Overdrawn	347 48

\$3,407 03

Almshouse and Town Farm

Inventory of stock, furniture, etc. December 31, 1912

2 Cows	\$150 00
2 Horses	300 00
26 Fowl	26 00
1 Road scraper	75 00
1 Farm wagon	30 00
2 Tipcarts	60 00
1 Harness	5 00
2 Sets harness	50 00

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1 Swing drag	30 00
1 Hay tedder	23 00
1 Hay rake	23 00
1 Seed sewer	9 00
5 Tons of hay	100 00
2 Gravel screens	10 00
1 Two horse cart	75 00
1 Set double harness	30 00
1 Two horse sled	40 00
1 Tool chest	5 00
1 Hay cutter	5 00
6 Draught chains	12 00
1 Grindstone	4 00
1 Carriage and harness	100 00
6 Snow plows	150 00
Derrick and chains	100 00
1 Sleigh	5 00
Robes and blankets	7 00
1 Lawn mower	7 00
Ladders	8 00
Wire	1 00
7 Cords of manure	28 00
1 Cultivator	8 00
2 Plows	12 00
1 Harrow	5 00
Forks, shovels, picks and hoes	17 00
1 Stone roller	4 00
1 Wheel barrow	3 00

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3 Axes	2 25
1 Scythe and snath	2 00
1 Cross cut saw	1 50
8 Drills	10 00
1 Stone hammer	1 50
2 Cords wood	12 00
2 Wood saws and horse	3 00
1 Street lamp	5 00
5 Cuspidors	2 50
25 Iron bedsteads	88 00
25 Bed springs	65 75
2 Feather beds	10 00
25 Mattresses	70 00
45 Pillows	25 00
50 Pillow slips	10 00
70 Sheets	30 00
80 Blankets	80 00
28 Bedspreads	25 00
50 Towels	5.00
5 Tablecloths	5 00
Shirts, stockings and underwear	30 00
Lamps and lanterns	4 00
25 Lamp chimneys	1 50
1 Ice chest	40 00
Wooden and tin ware	15 00
4 Tables	4 00
1 Walnut table	3 00
1 Extension table	8 00

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9 Rocking Chairs	9 00
50 Chairs	15 00
1 Wool carpet	25 00
Brooms and brushes	6 00
1 Carpet sweeper	2 50
3 Clothes wringers	12 50
Coal hods and shovels	2 00
12 Dry fire extinguishers	20 00
175 Feet hose	19 00
Oats, corn and meal	10 00
1 Bread mixer	2 50
3 Hose hangers	75
1 Steel door mat	2 00
1 Range and boiler	50 00
1 Peck measure	50
Baskets	1 50
1 Tobacco cutter	1 00
Bitstock and bits	3 50
2 Hand saws and planes	3 00
17 Tons of coal	119 00
7 Tons Franklin coal	56 00
1 Barrel flour	7 50
40 Lbs. Butter	16 00
200 Lbs. sugar	12 00
10 Lbs. tea	2 00
5 Lbs. Coffee	1 25
10 Lbs. Tobacco	4 50
35 Gallons oil	3 50

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1 Kerosene tank	10 00
100 Preserve jars	10 00
60 Quarts preserves	6 00
80 Lbs. beans	4 00
1 Barrel crackers	2 50
4 Screen doors	5 00
25 Window screens	15 00
2 Wash boilers	5 00
100 Lbs. granulated soap	5 00
17 Bars soap	80
1 Oil stove	1 00
2 Clocks	3 00
2 Mirrors	2 00
Crockery ware	40 00
1 Washing machine	10 00
10 Gallons molasses	4 00
4 Soapstone tubs	35 00
Vegetables	90 00
360 Pounds pork	57 60
60 Lbs. lard	9 60
	\$2,896 00

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Cash Received by the Selectmen

Sale of produce	\$291 92
Town teams	440 06
Board	272 50
Sale of cow	47 00
Sale of calf	7 00
Aid refunded	129 02
	\$1,187 50

Randolph, February 1, 1913.

We, the undersigned Auditors of the town of Randolph, respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,
Auditors.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Report of the Collector of Taxes
(Semi-annual Audit)

EDWARD LONG, Collector

Taxes for 1909

Dr.

Jan. 1, 1912 Taxes unpaid	\$3,153 23
Interest	374 87
	\$3,528 10

Cr.

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$1,975 00
By interest paid Treasurer	275 00
By abatements	17 12
By cash on hand	288 98
By taxes uncollected	972 00
	\$3,528 10

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Taxes for 1910

Dr.

Jan. 1, 1912 Taxes unpaid	\$10,391 48
Interest	397 50
	\$10,788 98

Cr.

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$4,000 00
By interest paid Treasurer	350 00
By abatements	6 46
By cash on hand	49 18
By taxes to be collected	6,383 34
	\$10,788 98

Taxes for 1911

Dr.

Jan. 1, 1912 Taxes unpaid	\$18,705 00
Interest	203 97
	\$18,908 97

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Cr.

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$500 00
By interest paid Treasurer	175 00
By abatements	41 99
By cash on hand	89 40
By taxes uncollected	13,602 58
	\$18,908 97

Aug. 27, 1912.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and find the same correct as per statement above.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM
JOHN K. WILLARD
JOHN B. WREN

Auditors.

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TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT (Semi-Annual Audit)

Taxes for 1910

Dr.

Aug. 27, 1912 Cash on hand	\$49 18
Taxes unpaid	6,383 34
Interest collected	251 43
Over paid to Treasurer	35 47
	\$6,719 42

Cr.

By Taxes paid Treasurer	\$2,500 00
By interest paid Treasurer	300 00
By abatements	11 15
By Taxes unpaid	3,908 27
	\$6,719 42

Taxes for 1911

Dr.

Aug. 27, 1912 Cash on hand	\$89 40
Tax uncollected	13,602 58
Interest	218 04
	\$13,910 02

Cr.

By taxes paid Treasurer	\$3,500 00
By interest paid Treasurer	240 00
By abatements	12 23
By Tax uncollected	9,941 24
By cash on hand	216 55
	\$13,910 02

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Tax for 1912

Dr.

Tax levy	\$53,074 60
Additional	40 00
Excise Tax	1,708 18
Omitted	1,527 06
Interest	50 00
	\$56,399 84

Cr.

By cash paid Treasurer	\$34,325 00
By Excise paid Treasurer	1,708 18
By interest paid Treasurer	50 00
By tax uncollected	20,102 85
By abatements	213 81
	\$56,399 84

February 1, 1913.

We the undersigned, Auditors of the Town of Randolph, have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector, and find same correct as per above statement.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM

JOHN B. WREN

JOHN K. WILLARD

Auditors.

List of Jurors

1913

Brady, Michael F., Mill St.	Shoeworker
Bromade, Fred, Allen St.	Shoeworker
Casey, Peter, Pleasant St.	Shoeworker
Burke, James, Mill St.	Agent
Clark, James B., Orchard St.,	Shoeworker
Clark, Dexter T., Main St.	Civil Engineer
Carney, William F., Cottage St.	Shoeworker
Daley, Michael J., Mt. Pleasant St.	Retired
Dolan, Thomas, Howard St.	Shoeworker
Dolan, Thomas, Silver St.	Shoeworker
English, Nicholas, North St.	Shoeworker
Faunce, Hiram S., Lafayette St.	Janitor
Flaherty, Edward, Silver St.,	Shoeworker
Forrest, Richard, Main St.	Shoeworker
Foster, Samuel A., West St.	Shoeworker
Gill, John F., Ward St.	Shoeworker
Good, Cornelius, North St.	Laborer
Heney, John J., South St.	Shoeworker
Hill, Charles D., West St.	Real Estate
Hill, George W., Main St.	Salesman
Holbrook, Albert, Mt. Pleasant Sq.	Carpenter
Holbrook, Ezra, Allen St.	Shoeworker

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Jones, Herbert A., North St.	Shoeworker
Kane, John P., Warren St.	Shoeworker
Kelleher, Dennis, Warren St.	Shoeworker
Kiley, Patrick, Maple St.	Shoeworker
Long, James, Cottage St.	Shoeworker
Lynch, Jeremiah J., Union St.	Shoeworker
Lyons, Walter H., Main St.	Agent
Mann, Edwin M., Main St.	Wood Dealer
Mahady, William, North St.,	Janitor
Marcelle, John C., Center St.	Laborer
McMahon, George, South St.	Shoeworker
McAuliffe, Eugene L., Roel St.	Newsdealer
Moore, Bernard, Howard St.	Janitor
Murphy, Edward F., Short St.	Shoeworker
Nelson, David, Main St.	Farmer
Powderly, Henry, South St.	Shoeworker
Reynolds, George A., High St.	Farmer
Roel, George A., Main St.	Electrician
Saunders, Herbert E., Liberty St.	Painter
Sawyer, George F., Liberty St.	Shoeworker
Stetson, Thomas L., North St.	Farmer
Shaw, Herman, Main St.	Shoeworker
Sullivan, George A., Maple St.	Shoeworker
Willard, John K., North St.	Tallow Dealer

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,
Selectmen.

Turner Free Library

Trustees, 1912

JOHN V. BEAL, President
HENRY A. BELCHER, Vice-President
N. IRVING TOLMAN, Treasurer
WILLIAM H. LEAVITT, Secretary
JEREMIAH J. DESMOND CHARLES H. THAYER
DANIEL DRISCOLL

(Selectmen of Randolph, Ex-Officiis)

ASA P. FRENCH FRANK C. GRANGER
WINTHROP B. ATHERTON SETH TURNER CRAWFORD
MRS. ALICE M. T. BEACH MRS. ELLEN J. T. ROUNTREE
HERBERT F. FRENCH JOHN D. CRAWFORD

Librarian

CHARLES C. FARNHAM

Assistant Librarian

MISS ALICE M. BELCHER

Custodian

ROBERT J. RESTARICK

Public Library

To the Citizens of Randolph:

Persuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the by-laws of the Turner Free Library, this, the thirty-seventh annual report, is submitted, showing the condition of the trust, consisting of the building, library and funds, together with the report of the Librarian and Treasurer, and so much of the reports submitted to the Trustees by the various committees as seem of general interest.

The Library Committee (consisting of Mr. John V. Beal, Mrs. Alice M. T. Beach, Mrs. Ellen J. T. Rountree, Mr. Seth Turner Crawford and Mr. John D. Crawford), with the assistance of the Librarian, have found the books, charts and furnishings in good condition. All books belonging to the library were accounted for by the Librarian.

The Committee on Building (consisting of Messrs. Henry A. Belcher, Winthrop B. Atherton, N. Irving Tolman, Charles H. Thayer and Daniel Driscoll) through its chairman, reports that the interior of the building is in excellent condition, but that the roof and other portions of its exterior are much in need of repairs. Accordingly

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it is recommended that one hundred and fifty dollars be raised and appropriated by the town to meet such repair.

The Committee on Finance (consisting of Messrs. Asa P. French, Frank C. Granger, William H. Leavitt, Jeremiah J. Desmond and Herbert F. French) reports as follows:

Randolph, Mass., January 20, 1913.

To the Trustees of the Turner Free Library:

The Committee on Finances, through its Chairman, has audited the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1912, and found them correct. All moneys received have been duly accounted for and no money has been paid out except upon vouchers properly approved. The Committee has also examined the securities representing the investment of the Library funds, and has found them intact and as shown in the schedule contained in the Treasurer's report. There has been no change in these securities during the past year.

ASA P. FRENCH, Chairman.

The report of the Librarian statistically showing in detail the doings, management and results of the various departments of the Library, and the report of the Treasurer showing the investment of the funds and the receipts and expenditures of the Library are hereto subjoined.

During the past year the Trustees have experienced the loss by death of Mr. John E. Bradley and Mr. Herbert

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W. Pratt. Their past interest and efficiency in the welfare of the Library was much appreciated and their presence at the meetings of the Board is greatly missed. The vacancies have been filled by the election of Mr. Herbert F. French and Mr. John W. Crawford.

George V. Higgins, M. D. has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Fred M. French as Secretary of the Stetson School Fund.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN V. BEAL,

President of the Board of Trustees.

Randolph, January 20, 1913.

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Report of the Treasurer

January 1, 1913

To the Trustees of Turner Free Library:

In compliance with the by-laws, I herewith submit my report as Treasurer of Turner Free Library.

Disbursements

Paid for Books	\$505 20
Paid for Periodicals	93 65
Paid for Book Binding	133 85
Paid for Salary of Librarian	600 00
Paid for Salary of Assistant Librarian	287 49
Paid for Salary of Janitor	150 00
Paid for Salary of Custodian	100 00
Paid for Electric Light and Lamps	105 85
Paid for Supplies	85 75
Paid for Express	10 77
Paid for Coal	303 50
Paid for Printing	12 00
Paid for Safe Deposit Box	10 00
Paid for Postoffice Box	1 36
Paid for Repairs	186 59
Paid for Art Club	6 00
Paid for Moving and Re-arranging Books	50 00
Paid for Sundries	7 00
Balance, Dec. 31, 1911	628 66

\$3,277 67

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Receipts

Income Turner Fund	\$502 00
Income R. W. Turner Fund	825 00
Rent Randolph Savings Bank	360 00
Rent C. Fred Lyons	250 00
Fines and Collections	38 21
Bank for Fuel, 1911	80 50
Int. Boston Elevator R. R. Bonds	225 00
Town appropriation for Repairs	250 00
Int. on deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	25 24
Check 1547	5 50
Balance, Jan. 1, 1912	716 22
	\$3,277 67

The Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Each
1 Chicago Burlington & Quincy Bond	\$1,000 00
2 Chicago & West Michigan Bonds	1,000 00
1 Old Colony Bond	1,000 00
1 Western Tel. & Tel. Bond	1,000 00
1 New York Central & Hudson River Bond	1,000 00
2 Detroit, Grand Rapids & Western Bonds	1,000 00
3 Union Pacific Bonds	500 00
33 Shares Preferred Stock Union Pacific R. R.	

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The Royal W. Turner Fund is Invested in:

	Each
10 Old Colony Bonds	\$1,000 00
5 American Tel. & Tel. Bonds	1,000 00
5 New York Tel. & Tel. Bonds	1,000 00
and \$625.00 in Randolph Savings Bank.	

The remaining funds are invested in:

	Each
5 Boston Elevated R. R. Bonds	\$1,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

N. IRVING TOLMAN, Treasurer

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Report of the Librarian

To the Trustees of the Turner Library, Randolph, Mass.:

Ladies and Gentlemen: I have the honor to present for your consideration my thirty-seventh annual report, covering the library record for 1912.

Circulation

The library has been open to the public 276 days, and during this time 28,235 books have been issued for public service—a daily average of 102 plus. The largest number in any one day being 440 on May 6, and the smallest 6 on March 14th.

Additions

The entire number of volumes added during the year, has been 629. By purchase, 429; by donation, including Federal and State Documents, 164; by magazines bound, 36; bringing the total of accessioned books to date 24,152.

Bulletins

Semi-annual slips of recent editions have been regularly prepared and freely distributed. The regular winter bulletin, now in preparation, will be ready for the public about Feb. 1.

Schools

The teachers of the public schools have borrowed for the use of students in their several grades 1918 volumes. In addition to these a considerable number of

books have been issued directly, to such scholars as are included in the special reading course requested by the Superintendent of Schools.

Reading Room

Excellent discipline is maintained not only in this room, but in all departments of the library. The Custodian's report appears in the general statistical table.

Fines

The sum of \$38.21 has been collected and paid to the Treasurer for fines incurred during the year.

Art Exhibits

Thirteen valuable exhibits for educational purposes and critical study have been received from the Massachusetts Art Club; Classic French Art; Days near Rome No. 2; Old Hollandish Interiors; Corot Part 1; Japanese Color Prints; Audabon; Venice No. 5; Despots of Italy; Whistler's Works; Coal and Coke; Unger's Etchings; Modern English Photogravures; Fishes; and in this connection, I would recommend that at no distant day, an effort be made to secure a collection of Art Pictures, as the permanent property of the library, and which may be at the service of the public.

Music Department

Last year an invitation was extended to such friends of the library, as had in their possession, unused copies of such standard musical works as Oratorios, Operas,

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Masses, Jubilee Music of '68 and '72, and kindred publications, to donate these to the library for public service.

I am happy to report as having given generously and gladly for this purpose, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Flynn, Mrs. Nelson Mann, and by Mrs. Carroll Thayer, the greater portion of the extensive musical library of the late John B. Thayer.

During the past year extensive and expensive changes and improvements have been made at the library. The main Hall which with the constant accessions of recent years had become overcrowded, has been quite relieved by the removal of all magazines to the upper south room, where upon new shelves and in fresh stacks, this valuable department has been thoroughly rearranged and reclassified.

The large number of Government publications stored in the north upper room, has been made of ready service by the purchase of 12 large volumes of Indexes, covering all documents printed at the Government offices.

There has been no change in the library staff during the year. As I said in my last report, all can be classed as efficient and experienced workers in their several departments.

The librarian feels most keenly the sudden death of Dr. John E. Bradley. He was not only a personal friend but an able and discreet counselor. His frequent visits

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to the library and his genial personality are greatly missed.

And now in closing this annual report, your librarian desires to express to the Board of Trustees his appreciation of their deep and abiding interest in the problems and work of the library.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM, Librarian.

Randolph, Mass., Dec. 31, 1912.

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STATISTICAL TABLE OF TURNER LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR 1912

1912	Total, 1912												Total, 1908
	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total, 1909
Number of days open.....	27	24	26	25	26	25	11	12	24	26	25	25	274
Total circulation.....	2,869	2,982	3,001	2,828	2,490	2,098	1,222	991	2,082	2,087	2,929	2,656	26,298
Daily average circulation.....	106	124	115	113	96	94	111	83	87	80	117	106	94
Largest daily circulation.....	378	377	356	440	426	396	325	295	333	321	376	348	486
Date of largest circulation.....	3rd	27th	26th	10th	6th	17th	1st	26th	23rd	21st	18	13th	496
Smallest daily circulation.....	26	19	6	23	21	24	33	37	32	15	9	22	13
Date of smallest circulation.....	5th	20th	15th	26th	24	20th	2nd	29th	11th	3rd	7	24th	10
Vol's bor'd by School Teachers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15
Volumes added to library.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total volumes in library.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Registered card holders.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fines collected.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reading room attendance.....	666	722	780	781	693	525	428	294	575	628	708	785	8,287
Reading room daily average	24	30	30	31	27	21	18	24	24	24	28	31	34
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Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES C. FARNHAM, Librarian.

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
FOR 1912

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School Committee

EDWARD LONG, Chairman

REDMOND P. BARRETT, Secretary

REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1914
GEORGE V. HIGGINS M. D.	Term expires 1915

Trustees of Stetson School Fund

EDWARD LONG, Chairman

FRED M. FRENCH, Secretary

REDMOND P. BARRETT	Term expires 1913
EDWARD LONG	Term expires 1914
GEORGE V. HIGGINS, M. D.	Term expires 1915

Superintendent of Schools

F. T. REYNOLDS

Residence, Randolph
Office,

Telephone, Randolph 62-W
Residence, Central Square

Regular meeting of the School Committee, last Friday of the month
7.30 p. m.

School Calendar 1913-1914

Open January 6, 1913	
Close March 14,	10 weeks
	Vacation, 1 week
Open March 24	
Close June 20,	13 weeks
	Summer Vacation, 11 weeks
Open September 8	
Close December 19,	15 weeks
	Vacation, 2 weeks
Open January 5, 1914	
Close April 3,	13 weeks
	Vacation, 1 week
Open March 13	
Close June 19,	10 weeks
Legal Holidays in term time: 30 May, 1913; Thanksgiving Day 1913; 30 May, 1914.	

Report of School Committee

Randolph, Mass., Dec. 30, '12

To the Citizens of Randolph:

In compliance with the statutes of the Commonwealth the School Committee submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1912.

Last Spring the Committee received instructions from the inspector of Public Buildings to make changes in some of our school buildings to comply with the law relating to exits from public buildings.

All the doors, of the Prescott Primary, leading to stairways and to the street, were changed to open outward. At the Prescott Grammar, new and up-to-date locks were substituted for the worn out ones on the outside doors. Similar changes were ordered in the Tower High School as well to provide a fire escape which was done.

Stetson High School opened the fall term with 160 pupils. 25 new desks and chairs were purchased to accommodate the increased attendance.

New desks were also placed in the Belcher School to meet the demand for more seats.

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These expenses were unlooked for and consequently not included in the school appropriation for 1912 and will explain in part the overdrawn accounts.

The town valuation is now over two and one half millions dollars, hence we are no longer entitled to a share of the State School Fund, although the usual amount was counted upon in the appropriations as submitted this year (1912).

For a second time within a few years complaint has been made to the inspector at the State House of the urgent need of better ventilation at the Belcher School, and the school board have received orders that the matter must be attended to at once.

An article will be placed in the warrant when the whole question of what would be most advisable will be decided by the voters of the town.

The board will also recommend the sale of the No. 1 School property.

Several changes have been made in our teaching force at Stetson High School. Miss Mabel M. Cassidy and Miss Margaret M. Noland resigned to accept positions in Lowell and Everett respectively.

These teachers rendered very faithful and efficient work during their term of service.

The vacancies have been filled by Miss Alice M. Rhinhalter and Miss Mildred Allen as Commercial teacher.

In the grades Miss Fannie Devine has been replaced by Miss Mae Lundergan of Brockton. Miss Devine re-

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signed to accept a position in Brockton at an increased salary.

Miss Elizabeth Dean has been appointed to take charge of the overflow attendance at the Belcher School in a newly equipped room in the Prescott Primary.

A detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of this department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1912, is annexed to this report.

The Committee asks the town to raise and appropriate the following sums of money to meet the school expenses for the year ending Dec. 31, 1913.

For Teaching	\$8,841 00
Care of rooms	1,420 00
Fuel	1,300 00
Books and supplies	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,400 00
Transportation of pupils	700 00
Superintendent of Schools	600 00
School Committee	300 00
Stetson High School	2,800 00
School Physician	100 00
	\$18,661 00

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Less estimate revenue from dog tax	\$450 00	
State tuition	150 00	
State for Superintendent	300 00	
Salary of Teachers	200 00	
		\$1,100 00
		\$17,561 00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD LONG,

R. P. BARRETT,

GEO. V. HIGGINS, M. D.,

School Committee.

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To the Citizens of Randolph:

I have the honor of submitting to you the report of the school physician for the year 1912.

During the past year all pupils have been examined in relation to enlarged tonsils, care of hair and teeth, and to general physical condition.

During the year we were fortunate in not having an epidemic of any kind in our schools.

A sporadic case of varicella, a case of measles and one of scarlet fever appeared, but those were isolated as far as possible.

During the summer vacation many pupils had their tonsils and adenoids removed and good results followed upon their return to school.

We are still handicapped by poor ventilation at the Belcher School and some system must be installed at the earliest possible date.

Thanking our Superintendent, our teachers and Committee for their co-operation in this work, I am

Respectfully yours,

G. V. HIGGINS, M. D.

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School Expenses, 1912

Teaching

Paid Nelson Freeman, 38 weeks	\$1,000 16
Joseph Belcher, 38 weeks	1,000 14
Katherine A. Kiley, 38 weeks	513 00
Ellen P. Henry, 38 weeks	503 50
Hanna F. Hoye, 35 weeks	455 00
Katherine E. Sheridan, 38 weeks	484 50
Mary E. Wren, 38 weeks	465 50
Ellen E. McLaughlin, 38 weeks	465 50
Fannie A. Campbell, 38 weeks	465 50
Kitty R. Molloy	465 50
Sara C. Belcher, 38 weeks	465 50
Clara A. Tolman, 38 weeks	465 50
Fanny M. Devine, 23 weeks	281 75
Katherine J. Riley, 39 weeks	477 75
Mary F. Forrest, 38 weeks	418 00
Ethel L. Buck, Drawing	110 04
Louisa Beal, Drawing	70 00
Rose G. Hand, Music	125 00
Mae L. Lundergan, 15 weeks	165 00
Mrs. A. E. Powderly, 3 weeks	39 00
Elizabeth Dean, 3 weeks	30 00
Normal School (Student teachers) car fares	80 50
	\$8,546 34

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Superintendent of Schools

Paid F. T. Reynolds	\$620 02
	\$620 02

Care of Rooms

Paid William Carroll	\$36 22
A. S. Frier	282 50
Mrs. E. Holbrook	51 00
Wm. Mahedy	549 96
Edward Meighan	20 00
John P. Rooney	454 50
Bernard Moore	6 00
	\$1,400 18

Fuel

Paid Randolph Coal Co., Coal	\$745 00
M. E. Leahy, Coal	254 88
Frank Dianto, Coal	239 75
Edwin M. Mann, Wood	38 50
Andrew Hayes, Wood	4 00
M. E. Leahy, Wood	28 00
	\$1,310 63

Books and Supplies

Paid J. M. Hammett Co.	\$190 30
Oliver Ditson Sons	17 85
Wright & Potter	5 75

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Kenny Bros. & Wolkins	305 24
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.	27 58
Houghton Mifflin Co.	14 47
Edw. E. Babb Co.	47 63
Schoenhof Book Co.	12 25
L. E. Knott Appr. Co.	27 73
Educational Pub. Co.	9 95
Silver Burdett Co.	23 00
Partridge Co.	1 50
Cook Vivian Co.	30 20
Allyn & Bacon	15 68
Chandler Sht. Hand Pub. Co.	46 50
D. C. Heath Co.	44 75
Ginn & Co.	215 00
Ethel L. Buck	1 90

\$1,037 28

Transportation of Pupils

Paid Bay State Street Railway Co.	\$400 00
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School Physician

Paid Geo. V. Higgin, M. D.	\$100 00
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General Expense

Paid Nelson Freeman	\$ 1 30
A. S. Frier	1 87
D. T. Clark	4 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	27 16

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P. H. McLaughlin	2 43
Frank W. Harris	50 27
Joseph Belcher	3 43
H. W. Griffin	6 88
Wesley C. Pool	10 45
Walter L. Hickey	125 65
W. F. Ashforth	4 00
L. Faretra	7 40
C. A. Lyman	1 50
C. F. Blanche, St. Dept.	58 05
Bay State St. Railway Co., express	6 50
H. A. Poole	2 40
Loring & Howard	1 60
Frank J. Donahue, Truant officer	20 00
W. F. Barrett, School Census	20 00
Sturgis C. Baxter, Boiler Insp.	4 00
F. W. Hayden	4 54
Chandler & Barber	22 63
E. W. Champagna	286 77
Geo. F. Taylor	31 28
R. E. O'Brien	166 38
E. A. Perry	89 45
John J. Thornton	34 02
Fred Spear	70 00
Jas. F. Hurley	13 25
W. B. Spear	14 00
H. F. Libby	71 85
Gerald Kiley	3 00

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Benj. Mann	21 00
H. C. Dalman Co.	19 00
Am. Seating Co.	78 70
Stone & Forsyth	6 00
K. J. Dennehy	1 75

\$1,292 01

School Committee

Paid Edw. Long	\$100 00
R. P. Barrett	100 00
Geo. V. Higgins, M. D.	100 00

\$300 00

Summary

Received General appropriation, net	\$15,330 00
Mass School Fund	
Coddington Fund, Int. 6 months	32 00
State wards, Tuition	171 00
State on acct. of Supt.	500 00
Dog tax	502 14
Holbrook-Avon, Part Telephone ex.	4 38

\$16,539 52

Overdrawn	1,266 94
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\$17,806 46

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Paid for Teaching	\$8,546 34
Books and supplies	1,037 28
Care of rooms	1,400 18
Fuel	1,310 63
Supt. of Schools	620 02
School Physician	100 00
School Committee	300 00
Transportion	400 00
General expense	1,292 01
Sec'y Trustees S. H. S. Fund, Appro.	2,800 00
	\$17,806 46

No School Signal

7.15 a. m., no session for High School
 8.00 a. m., no session for Grades
 11.30 a. m. one session

Stetson School Fund

Report of Trustees

To the Citizens of Randolph:

The following changes have been made in the investment of the fund during the year. Ten shares of Atlantic National Bank stock were sold for \$1,800.00 and the amount placed on deposit in the Weymouth Savings Bank and four shares of State National Bank stock were sold for \$800.00, and the amount placed on deposit in the Commonwealth Trust Co. The fund has now reached the sum of twenty thousand dollars, the valuation being at par. The fund is invested as follows:

7 Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4p.c. bonds	\$7,000.00
2 American Telephone & Telegraph 4p.c. bonds	2,000 00
2 Boston & Maine R. R. 4 p. c. bonds	2,000 00
Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	1,800 00
Deposit in Commonwealth Trust Co.	800 00
10 Shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
10 Shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00

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8 Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5 Shares People's National Bank	500 00
2 Shares Lawrence Gas Company	200 00
	\$20,542 66

The Turner Medal Fund is invested in 1 City of Minneapolis, Minn., bond, \$1,000.00.

The report of the Secretary, Fred M. French, Esq., is appended hereto.

The Trustees regret very much to announce the retirement of Fred M. French, Esq., as Secretary of the Stetson School Fund. He gave many years of faithful and efficient service to the town and his advice in matters of investments has been of much value to the Board of Trustees for many years.

EDWARD LONG,
R. P. BARRETT,
GEORGE V. HIGGINS, M. D.

In Memoriam
FRED M. FRENCH.

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Randolph, January, 1913.

The undersigned, Selectmen of Randolph, having this day made an examination of the accounts of the Trustees of the Stetson High School Fund for the year 1912 and find them correct.

The investments for the fund are as follows, viz.:

7	Northern Pacific & Great Northern 4 per cent. joint bonds at \$1,000.	\$7,000 00
2	American Telephone & Telegraph 4 per cent, bonds at \$1,000.00.	\$2,000 00
2	Boston & Maine R. R. 4 per cent. bonds at \$1,000.	2,000 00
	Deposit in Randolph Savings Bank	3,442 66
	Deposit in Weymouth Savings Bank	1,800 00
	Deposit in Commonwealth Trust Co.	800 00
10	Shares Old Boston National Bank	1,000 00
10	Shares Boylston National Bank	1,000 00
8	Shares Webster & Atlas National Bank	800 00
5	Shares Peoples' National Bank	500 00
2	Shares Lawrence Gas Co.	200 00
		\$20,542 66

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We also find in the hands of the Secretary a \$1,000 bond of the City of Minneapolis, Minn., the investment for the Turner Fund.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,

Selectmen.

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Dr.	The Board of Trustees in account with	
1912		
To ballance of old account		\$29 01
Town appropriation		2,800 00
Bank dividends, Webster & Atlas	\$56 00	
	Old Boston	50 00
	Boylston	50 00
	Atlantic	30 00
	Peoples	30 00
	Estate	28 00
		\$244 00
Interest on N. P. & G. N. bonds		280 00
Interest on American Telephone & Tele-		
graph bonds		80 00
Interest on Boston & Maine R. R. bonds		80 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest		139 06
Lawrence Gas Co., dividend		16 00
Commonwealth Trust Co., interest		5 84
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co., interest		1 21
Grand Army Post 110, room rent one year		10 00
Amount received from old heating contract		2 90
Rent of hall for the year		785 50
		\$4,473 52

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The Stetson High School Fund

Cr.

1912

By paying	F. E. Chapin, salary	\$1,399 92
	Nellie M. Stearns, salary	600 05
	Mary H. Warren, salary	525 16
	M. Mabel Cassidy, salary	363 20
	Margaret M. Noland, salary	302 68
	M. Alice Reinhalter, salary	197 32
	Mildred H. Allen, salary	197 37
	Rose G. Hand, musical instructor	75 00
	Randolph Coal Co., coal	186 25
	E. W. Campagna, labor and materials	103 44
	R. E. O'Brien, labor and materials	72 57
	Howard Randall, chorcoal	7 34
	C. E. Lyons, labor and materials	12 31
	H. I. Dallman Co., mat	9 00
	W. C. Brockway, tuning piano	2 50
	F. E. Chapin, suplies	9 50
	Edson N. Roch, supplies	2 64
	Bernard Moore, labor	15 75
	M. E. Leahy, cleaning vault	5 00
	G. F. Gurney Co., supplies	3 20
	Joseph Clark, labor	5 50
	F. W. Harris, trucking	4 00
	Edwin M. Mann, wood	8 25
	H. L. Bailey, labor and materials	10 70
	Estate of Chas. Doughty, electric lighting	87 80
	Harold L. Daggett, lessee, lighting	202 07
	C. Fred Lyons, supplies	19 96
	Postage stamps	66
	Trustees and Secretary	20 00
	Balance	24 38
		\$4,473 52

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Randolph, January 20, 1913.

The undersigned have this day examined the accounts of the Secretary of the Stetson High School Fund, and find the same correct, with proper vouchers for all orders drawn.

JEREMIAH DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,

Selectmen of Randolph.

REPORT

OF

Superintendent of Schools

SEVENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

Randolph, Mass., December 31, 1912.

Gentlemen of the School Committee:

I submit herewith my second annual report, the twelfth in the series of superintendent's reports.

Summary For Year Ending June 30, 1912.

Population of Randolph, census of 1910 4,301
Children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, school census of September, 1912:

Boys	441
Girls	395
Total	836

Children between the ages of 7 and 14 (period of compulsory attendance)

Boys	334
Girls	293
Total	627

1	Total enrollment	830
2	Number under five years	5
3	Number over fifteen years of age	80
4	Number between seven and fourteen years of age	525
5	Average membership	774
6	Average attendance	732
7	Per cent. of attendance	94

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8	Number completing grammar school course, total	74
	(a) Boys	39
	(b) Girls	35
9	Number of teachers employed	20
	(a) Men	3
	(b) Women	17
10	Number of teachers who graduated from college	4
11	Number of teachers who have graduated from normal school	5
12	Aggregate number of months schools were in session	148-16
13	Average number of months	9-6
14	Number of months and days high school was in session	9-8
15	Number of regular high school teachers	5
16	Number of special teachers on part time	2
17	Number of pupils in the high school, total	141
	(a) Boys	53
	(b) Girls	88
18	Average membership in the high school	127
19	Number entering the high school, total	49
	(a) Boys	22
	(b) Girls	27
20	Number of graduates from high school, total	21
	(a) Boys	6
	(b) Girls	15

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Annual Enrollment For Past Eleven Years

1902	715
1903	695
1904	712
1905	699
1906	726
1907	729
1908	716
1909	762
1910	769
1911	779
1912	830

Percentage Of Total Town Enrollment Found In High School

1909	16 percent.
1910	16.6 percent.
1911	16 percent.
1912	16.7 percent.
1912 September	19 percent.

Sight And Hearing Tests

Year	Enrollment	Defective eyesight	Defective hearing	Parents notified
1907	697	122	25	74
1908	748	125	38	94
1909	732	137	32	113
1910	720	107	17	68
1911	767	97	17	54
1912	809	101	15	97

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Distribution Of Pupils By Grades

Based on Attendance of September, 1912.

	Boys	Girls
High School, Senior Class	7	21
Junior Class	7	16
Third Class	15	23
Fourth Class	43	28
Eighth Grade	35	27
Seventh Grade	39	34
Sixth Grade	48	37
Fifth Grade	53	35
Fourth Grade	44	40
Third Grade	43	43
Second Grade	45	49
First Grade	56	44
Totals	435	397
Total enrollment	832	

Resignations

Margaret M. Cassidy

Margaret M. Noland

Fannie M. Devine

Ethel L. Buck, Drawing Supervisor

Appointments

Mildred Allen

M. Alice Reinhalter

Mae L. Lundergan

Louisa Beale, Drawing Supervisor

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STETSON HIGH SCHOOL

Graduates, Class of 1912.

Latin Course

Thomas Whitty Desmond	Svea Marie Johnson
Madeleine Catherine Dillon	Anna Vivian Morgan
Rosamond Eleanor Hagney	Anna Louise Walsh
Florence Rathburn Webster	

English Course

Fred'ck Wm. Bancroft, Jr.	Gertrude Marie Meaney
Wm. Francis Cunningham	Gladys Mae Porter
Terence Dargan	Emilie Porter Reynolds
Lucien Marion Hogan	Mary Elizabeth Schultz
Charles Ray Kiley	Alice Mae Shepard
Abbie Mercedes Lyons	Mary Frances Spence
Wilma Jennie Mann	Ellen Christine Stanton

BELCHER GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Graduates 1912

Winifred M. Brennan	Harold P. Myres
Edith A. Bryant	Helen J. Wiseman
M. Louise Crocker	Elberta B. White
Gladys DeForest	Viola F. Wood
Mary Devine	Dale N. Allen
C. Madeline Evans	Edgar F. Beers
Hazel Jones	Arthur Brennan
M. Irene Kennedy	John F. Bustard
Bertha M. Lovering	John Curry

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Gertrude Mahan	James Doyle
Marion S. Mann	Ernest K. Hill
Mary L. Patten	A. Stanley Hill
Ruth A. E. Peterson	Thomas Kenney
Jennie Schultz	Carlton B. Lyons
Rosella R. Stetson	Horace A. Mann
Hazel G. Stetson	Herbert F. Peterson
Beatrice L. Stevens	Leonard E. Plunkett
Anna C. A. Truelson	Walter Sherwood
William W. Thomas	Rudolph Sitcowitch
William T. Lonergan	

PRESCOTT GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Graduates 1912

Walter Carney	Everett E. Madam
William T. Conlon	Mildred McAuliffe
Charles Cunningham	D. Joseph McNeill
Margaret Desmond	Emily McNulty
James Donovan	Harold E. Mellon
Joseph J. Gill	Henry Morgan
David J. Good	John O'Brien
Mabel M. Good	Walter O'Leary
Heiman Greenberg	Verna Pettee
Ida Greenberg	Edward Roddan
Winnifred Hess	Letitia F. Scannell
Leona M. Hogan	Anna M. Sullivan
Adele H. Jones	Margaret T. Sullivan
Walter F. Kelliher	Alice Tierney

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Forrest S. Kemp
 Hobart H. Kemp
 Marion L. Leavitt
 Thomas Lyons

James Tierney
 Chester C. Wallace
 Robert F. Wallace

List of subjects taught in the Stetson High School and number of pupils in each class. Fall term, 1912.

Algebra 4	65 Pupils
Book-keeping 1	21
Commercial Arithmetic	17
Chemistry 1	5
English 1	29
English 2	23
English 3	38
English 4 C	37
English 4 F	30
French 1	8
French 2	14
French 3	40
Geometry 1	7
Geometry 2	4
Geometry 3	7
German 1	4
History 1	17
History 2	15
History 3	29
History 4	56
Latin 1	5

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Latin 2	7
Latin 3	7
Latin 4	37
Physical Geography	50
Physics	4
Stenography 1	19
Stenography 2	19
Stenography 3	39
Typewriting	40

The work of the past school year has progressed along lines of steady improvement and effectiveness upon the part of the teacher and the pupils. The general policy of instruction has been to make the course of study practical, serviceable, and profitable for all concerned. The increased number of pupils in the high school necessitated the addition of more desks and seats at the opening of the Fall term. The increase in the grades made it necessary to have the first, second, third, and fourth grade pupils of the Belcher School attend half time in order to accommodate all. This has been obviated by opening another room in the Number Eight Building for the accommodation of all pupils who were riding on the cars. The town furnished car tickets for these pupils when they were attending the Belcher School and consequently it costs no more for transportation. This relieves the crowded condition at this school which has been a serious problem for some time.

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The West Corner school has more pupils than can be taught successfully by one teacher and it will be necessary to furnish more room for the pupils in this district. It is planned to have the entire third grade attend the new room opened at the Prescott Primary building.

It was voted at a regular meeting of the committee to change the name of the North Grammar School to Belcher Grammar School. This was considered fitting and proper as the building is located on Belcher Street and the school has had Mr. Joseph Belcher as Principal of the building for over thirty years.

Our Principals and Teachers have continued to make the schools better and more efficient. Their ability and untiring devotion to their work has had a marked effect upon the young people of the town.

Randolph children have been helped in many ways by the Ladies' Library Association for a number of years. Last year the work carried on by the school garden committee was very successful and instructive for the pupils. The girls and boys were taught that a garden at home can be made a source of pleasure and profit to themselves and parents. An exhibition of vegetables and flowers was held at the Jonathan Belcher Hall during the Fall term. Three Judges awarded prizes. It would be a great benefit to the schools if the town could co-operate with the Library Association in this splendid work by appropriating a sum of money each year in order to furnish seeds and whatever material is required for a more

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extensive application of the few principles in agriculture which will help to reduce the high cost of living. It has been proven in a great many cases that the boys and girls who are properly trained can raise more corn and produce to the acre than their fathers are producing at present.

There is a free industrial school for boys of Quincy and surrounding towns at Quincy which is supported and supervised in part by the State. All boys who are strong enough to do the shop work and intelligent enough to do the school work are admitted. Boys can earn enough to cover their expenses while securing their education. Machinist and Joiner trades are now taught; others are to be added next year. The authorities find positions for boys who wish to enter the school. The course covers three years and the pay increases each year. This gives Randolph boys the opportunity which we would like to present at home. This is a fine chance for boys who possess mechanical ability.

Sewing should be taught in the schools by a regular teacher. One room of each grammar building should be furnished with an arrangement for supplying electric current to be used for teaching geographical, historical, and industrial subjects by means of stereopticon. This could be done at small expense and the results would certainly be worth while.

An effort is to be made in the near future to improve the appearance of our school rooms by means of fresh

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paint and varnish. A neat attractive environment is essential if we would teach care and neatness. Money appropriated for this purpose is well invested.

I wish to thank the Committee, Principals, and Teachers for their help in the school work.

Respectfully submitted,

F. T. REYNOLDS.

APPENDIX TO REPORT

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TABULAR STATEMENT, 1911-1912

Schools	Grades	Teachers	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent
Stetson High		F. E. Chapin, Principal. Nellie M. Stearns Margaret Cassidy Mary H. Warren Margaret Noland	53	88	141	127.65	122.00	95.00
Prescott	VIII VII VI V IV III II I	Nelson Freeman, Principal. Katherine Kiley Hannah F. Hove Katharine Sheridan Mary E. Wren Ellen McLaughlin Fannie Campbell Kittie Molloy Joseph Belcher, Principal. Ellen P. Henry Sarah C. Belcher Fannie M. Devine Clara A. Tolman Mary Forrest Katharine Riley	30 18 27 31 22 22 24 35 36 19 14 30 22 14 31	16 20 18 15 22 19 28 23 35 18 20 23 27 15 16	46 38 45 46 44 41 52 58 71 36 34 53 49 29 47	40.46 37.71 41.2 46.63 44.95 39.28 43.23 50.2 71.2 34.57 29.91 54.28 44. 29.11 40.24	39.02 35.46 39.92 44.84 42.66 37.54 39.66 46. 68. 32.70 28.18 50.68 40. 27.71 38.2	96.41 94.38 96.79 94.71 95.03 91.44 92.00 95.7 94.59 94.21 93.38 91. 95.23 84.85
Belcher	VII-VIII VI V III-IV I-II I-II-III-IV I-II-III							
Tower Hill West Corner								
Totals			428	402	830	774.63	732.57	94.

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Report of the Principal of Stetson High School

Stetson High School, Randolph, Mass., Jan. 14, 1912.
Superintendent of Schools, F. T. Reynolds,

Dear Sir: The base-ball field in the rear of Stetson High School was inspected in November by Mr. Abel F. Stevens of Wellesley, Mass. Mr. Stevens represents the Du Pont Powder Co., of Boston, and makes a specialty of field-drainage by dynamiting the underlying hardpan. Mr. Stevens reports as follow:

"I find that the base-ball field on Stetson Park has an underlying stratum of hardpan which holds water and keeps the ground in a very wet condition. The hardpan is found at a depth of eighteen to thirty inches in the lowest part of the field, and is approximately two feet in thickness; under the pan is a stratum of fine gravel, which probably is water bearing. It may be that a second stratum of hardpan will be found beneath the gravel. The outlet for water leaving the field is the only problem which may cause trouble. I am inclined to think that the natural slope towards Warren St., is sufficient to carry off the water into the brook which flows under the Randolph R. R. station.

In draining a field by the use of explosives I plant cartridges of dynamite at intervals of fifteen feet, more or less, and explode the cartridges simultaneously. This blows the pan to pieces and has the effect of ditching the field to the extent desired. For a number of years I have been occupied almost wholly in such drainage and

have the greatest confidence in the good results of blowing hardpan to pieces. My examination of Stetson Park leads me to think that I can make the field dry enough for ball playing in the spring. The time when I would like to try the effect of dynamite on the hardpan would be immediately after the snow leaves, when of course the field is very wet. The expense of blowing to pieces the hardpan would not exceed fifty dollars."

This report of Mr. Stevens appears to offer a means of reclaiming the field and making it suitable for baseball. Our penny-collection fund now amounts to forty dollars, and we have a promise of ten dollars from Mr. Henry A. Belcher. In April we will, in all probability, have nearly seventy dollars which could be expended on the field. Would it be possible to secure a moderate appropriation from the town? This appropriation would be used for grading and putting the ground into shape. The field is centrally located, nearly level, and already suitable for games. There will be no other ball field in Randolph when the West street grounds are converted into house lots. We hope that the trustees of Stetson High School and the committee on appropriations will give this matter careful consideration, and that a small amount may be granted to supplement the money in our present fund.

FREDERIC E. CHAPIN,

Principal of Stetson High School.

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Randolph, Jan. 27, 1913.

Mr. F. T. Reynolds

Dear Sir:

I would respectfully submit my report as Truant Officer for the year ending 1912

During the past year I have been called upon to investigate 23 cases of truancy and absentees from school. In most cases the parents kept their children at home. I have committed one boy to the truant school for boys at Walpole.

FRANK J. DONAHOE,
Truant Officer

Randolph, Mass., Feb. 1, 1913.

Mr. F. T. Reynolds

Dear Sir:

I respectfully submit the following as my report for the year nineteen hundred and twelve.

During the year, I have been called upon to investigate sixty-seven cases; some were truants, and some were kept away from school on account of sickness, and other causes. I had to lay down the law to their parents and tell them they were doing a great wrong to their children in keeping them from school.

At present every thing is moving along in a satisfactory manner.

Yours respectfully,

A. S. FRIER, Truant Officer.

Stetson High School

Terence Dargan, 3	Robert Gove, 1
Svea Johnson, 3	Laura Holbrook, 1
Wm. Leahy, 3	Clifford Henderson, 1
Jennie Preble, 3	Alice Keith, 1
Agnes Conlon, 2	Marie Larsen, 1
Arthur Curtis, 2	Raymond Mason, 1
Henry Dillon, 2	Rachael McMahon, 1
Harold Eddy, 2	Ruth Mayo, 1
Fabian Hogan, 2	Mary Meaney, 1
Gertrude Kelley, 2	Alice O'Connell, 1
John Kiley, 2	Agnes O'Neil, 1
Marshall Leavitt, 2	Franklin Porter, 1
Frank Mahoney, 2	Elva Plunkett, 1
Jennie Mann, 2	Arthur Roel, 1
Alta Payne, 2	Vivian Shurtleff,
Esther Blomquist, 1	Marian Truelson, 1
Dwight Boyd, 1	John Walsh, 1
Wm. Cunningham, 1	Harold Ward, 1
Madeline Dillon, 1	Rena Wrisley, 1
George Dolan, 1	Florence Webster, 1
Kathleen Donovan, 1	Martin Young, 1
Elmer French, 1	

Prescott VIII

Walter Carney, 3	Chester C. Wallace, 2
James Donovan, 3	David J. Good, 1
Joseph J. Gill, 3	Anna E. Jezyk, 1
Lena M. Hogan, 3	Walter F. Kelleher, 1

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Henry V. Morgan, 3	Arthur McCue, 1
Walter O'Leary, 3	Mildred McAuliffe, 1
Charles Cunningham, 2	Emily McNulty, 1
Heiman Greenberg, 2	Harold E. Mellon, 1
Marion L. Leavitt, 2	Edward O'Brien, 1
Timothy Lyons, 2	Anna M. Sullivan, 1
John O'Brien, 2	Alice Tierney, 1
Edward Roddan, 2	Robert F. Wallace, 1
Letitia F. Scannell, 2	

Prescott VII

Mary Clark, 2	Harold Kane, 1
Alice Desmond, 2	Harold Keith, 1
Kathryn Lynch, 2	John Lee, 1
Hattie Neary, 2	John Moran, 1
Albert Bodin, 1	Margaret Rohlf, 1
Isabel Dolan, 1	Ralph Walsh, 1
Mabel Foster, 1	Emery Delano, 1
Theresa Gorman, 1	Mary O'Leary, 1

Prescott VI

Grace Donovan, 3	Richard Schaeffer, 2
Elizabeth Good, 3	Thomas Bates, 1
Marie Good, 3	Agnes Britton, 1
Eldon Johnson, 3	Morgan Baxter, 1
Charles Mullens, 3	Vincent Dolan, 1
Mary O'Brien, 3	Margaret Foley, 1
Bert Hansalpaker, 2	Hubert Gilgan, 1
Walter Good, 2	Katherine Madigan, 1

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Mary Griffin, 2
Stephen Molloy, 2
Charles Pettengill, 2

Charles Marcille, 1
Richard Walsh, 1

Prescott V

Vernon Bell, 3
Walter Stevens, 3
Reginald Hogan, 3
Ernest Hylen, 2
Blanch Leroy, 2
Timothy Lyons, 2
Russell Leavitt, 2
Raymond McGerigle, 2
Eustace Scannell, 2
John Sullivan, 2
Frank Morgan, 2
Ray Kiley, 1
Warren McCarthy, 1
Margaret Messier, 1

Arthur Messier, 1
Aurora Nelson, 1
Edward Brennan, 1
Dorothy Carney, 1
Gladys Champion, 1
Helen Conlon, 1
Lawrence Crovo, 1
John Dowd, 1
Eugene Dickey, 1
Elizabeth Hand, 1
Kathryn Kelliher, 1
Milton Robbins, 1
Olive Nunes, 1

Prescott IV

Daniel Donovan, 3
Catherine McGaughey, 3
James Bradley, 2
Amy Campbell, 1
Cecilia Stevens, 1
Helen Dahlquist, 1
Mary Leroy, 1
Gladys Kane, 1
Minnie Cantwell, 1
Catherine Croud, 1

Francis Belcher, 1
James Clark, 1
John Lynch, 1
Russell Kiley, 1
Edward Shepard, 1
John O'Brien, 1
Frank Devlin, 1
Crofton Keith, 1
Frank Sullivan, 1

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Prescott III

Margaret Clark, 3	Norma Cozzatti, 1
Eva Dusablon, 3	Beatrice Scannell, 1
Anton Bolin, 2	Jennie May Lynch, 1
James Hogan, 1	Margaret Walsh, 1
Joseph Loughlin, 1	Mary Shepard, 1
Raymond Deane, 1	Gertrude Tarrant, 1

Prescott II

Alice Carney, 2	Louise Jaquith, 1
Elizabeth Mulligan, 2	Charles Miller, 1
George Sullivan, 2	Kenneth Croud, 1
Louisa Campbell, 1	Harry Brady, 1
Blanche Deane, 1	

Prescott I

Charles E. Boyle, 2	Paul Sullivan, 1
James O'Brien, 2	Laura Miller, 1
Warren Messier, 1	William Benson, 1
Harold Walsh, 1	Harold Foster, 1
Helen Linfield, 1	Leonard Mahan, 1
John Camilio, 1	

Belcher VII-VIII

Dale N. Allen, 3	John Curry, 1
John F. Bustard, 3	Wm. Lonergan, 1
Thomas Kennedy, 3	Fred Mahoney, 1
Patrick Harrington, 3	Harold P. Myers, 1
Leonard E. Plunkett, 3	Francis O'Neil, 1

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Rudolph Sitcawich, 3	Walter Sherwood, 1
Mildred Mann, 3	Herbert Peterson, 1
Jennie Sultz, 3	Walter Stampe, 1
George Beane, 2	Allen Thomas, 1
Arthur Brennan, 2	Joseph Vera, 1
Arthur Stanley Hill, 2	Edith Bryant, 1
Everett Hunt, 2	Gladys DeForest, 1
Harold Kaulbach, 2	Mary Devine, 1
Winifred Brennan, 2	C. Madeline Evans, 1
Ruth Brennan, 2	Marguerite Jorgenson, 1
Hazel Jones, 2	Mary Patten, 1
Mabel Mann, 2	Ruth A. Peterson, 1
Hezel Stetson, 2	Beatrice L. Stevens, 1
Martha Smith, 2	Marion Webster, 1
Elberta White, 2	Viola Wood, 1
Edgar Beers, 1	

Belcher VI

Carl Bustard, 3	Helen F. Foster, 1
Seth Stacy Mann, 3	Rodney V. Dee, 1
Carleton McGrath, 3	Lovell Pulson, 1
Russell Niles, 3	Charles Burrell, 1
Frank T. Vara, 2	Errold N. Grasse, 1
Ruth V. Evans, 1	Francis Wiseman, 1

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Belcher V

John W. Kennedy, 3	Karl Macauley, 1
Mary P. Brennan, 2	Arthur D. Scott, 1
Ida Burrell, 2	Frederick Wiseman, 1
Earle H. Hewins, 1	Luke Carlton Wrisley, 1
Frank Hogaty, 1	

Belcher III-IV

Reginald Pulson, 2	Joseph Connell, 1
Emile Hamel, 2	Carrie Patten, 1
Sylvester Dade, 2	Douglas Wilbert, 1
Harold Saunders, 2	William Lewis, 1
Marjorie Crimmins, 1	Josephine McDermott, 1
Mabel Mann, 1	Arthur Cremmins, 1
Roscoe Brennan, 1	

Belcher I-II

Harold Clark, 2	Eldred Pulson, 1
George Taylor, 1	Ethel Hogarty, 1
Charlotte Johnson, 1	Jeanette Hamel, 1

Tower Hill I-II-III-IV

Helen Carroll, 3	Martha Hylen, 1
Margaret Carroll, 2	Signe Hylen, 1
Arthur Hylen, 1	Alex Jorgenson, 1
Carl Hylen, 1	Carl Jorgenson, 1

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West Corner I-II-III

Jennie Anderson, 2	James F. Kenney, 1
Edward Duffy, 2	John Cedarholm, 1
T. Leo Patten, 2	Robert O. Franke, 1
Vincent L. Duffey, 2	Louise Truelson, 1
Walter A. Larsen, 2	James E. Gaffey, 1
Roland L. Hewins, 1	Mary C. Kenney, 1

Report of Fire Department

Randolph, Mass., Jan. 1, 1913.

To the Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen,—The following is submitted as the report of the Board of Fire Engineers of the town for the year 1912.

Board of Engineers

The Department organized May 1, 1912, as follows:

Richard F. Forrest, Chief.

Michael F. Sullivan, Assistant.

George A. Roel, Assistant and Clerk.

Apparatus and Companies

Hose Wagon 1, Ladder Truck 1, and Steamer 1—Hauling furnished by Frank W. Harris.

Chemical 1—Driver, Chas. Blanche.

Hose Reel 2—Driver, Herbert Paul.

Hose Co. 1—10 men, J. P. Rooney, Captain.

Hose Co. 2—12 men, Geo. L. Stetson, Captain.

Ladder 1—9 men, Chas. Dolan, Captain.

Chemical 1—10 men, Edward F. Meaney, Captain.

The Record of Fires for 1912

- Jan. 10—Emergency call was made by Chief Forrest at 5.25 A. M. Assistance from Braintree was asked and a few volunteers responded. The steamer was desired, and a start was made, but the streets were in a very icy condition for such heavy apparatus, and it was deemed advisable to return after an exciting experience.
- Jan. 13—Chief Forrest and men called to chimney fire in parsonage of Congregational Church, also to residence of Supt. of Schools Fordyce Reynolds. No particular damage reported.
- Jan. 17—Second call to Mr. Reynolds. Trouble adjusted.
- Jan. 19—Box 51, 9.05 A. M., for fire in small frame dwelling on Cross Street, owned by Mrs. T. F. Lyons, and occupied by Robert McEntee and family. Blaze confined to kitchen. Cause, leaky kerosene can and careless use of matches. All out signal, 9.45. Combined damage, \$230.00.
- Jan. 28—Engineer Roel called to residence of Harry Kent, North Main Street, where a bad condition between wall and chimney was found in time and extinguished with small damage, caused by tearing away of sheathing and plaster. Loss, possibly \$10.00.
- Mar. 5—Box 47, 1.15 P. M., for automobile afire near residence of late Joshua Hunt. Pony chemical extinguished fire which was not alarming, having been banked with sand.

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Mar. 19—Box 24, 1.05 P. M. Grass fire on Woodlawn Ave., threatening residences. No great damage. All out, 1.45.

April 7—Box 29, 6.42 P. M. Fire in three story building on North Main Street owned by Miss Hattie A. Hawes and occupied by D. M. Cullity in basement as a market, 1st floor R. E. O'Brien, Plumber, 2d floor Mrs. Julia Rand, boarders, and 3d floor William Ryan, tenement. Discovered first under roof of bay window on front of building. High wind prevailing drove fire under floors and attic, causing loss to building and tenants of \$1,000.00 by fire and water. All out, 8.10. No definite cause could be determined.

April 15—Chief Forrest and men called on still alarm to building on Moulton Street, owned by Mrs Emma Farrell and occupied by Wm. O. Halloran as a grocery. A mysterious fire had been discovered and extinguished by passers by. On investigation it was deemed incendiary and means were taken to discover the person, but to no avail as yet. Damage about \$50.00.

April 21—Chief and men called to chimney fire in dwelling on Cross Street, occupied by Frank Mahoney. No material damage.

April 26—Box 41, 2.45 P. M. Fire in woodland on High Street, north of Canton Street. Damage to scrub and small timber resulted. All out at 3.30 P. M.

May 1—Box 26, 10.45 A. M. Main spring in box broke, disabling fire alarm, but telephone calls helped matters

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and Avon Dept responded to John W. Statton's residence, a short distance from Avon line to a fire of mysterious origin, which did damage to inside roof around chimney, but chimney did not seem to be defective in any way. Total loss about \$50.00.

May 16—Chief and Chemical No. 1 extinguished chimney fire at residence of John Dupree, Cross Street. Little damage.

May 28—Box 25, at 3.20 P. M, for fire in barn on South Main Street, owned by Mrs Lucinda Knight and occupied by E. Forrest Knight and George Young as storage for farming tools, lumber, hay, etc. Cause thought to be the work of children playing with matches. Barn destroyed, part of contents saved. Monetary loss about \$700.00. Partial insurance. All out signal 4.10 P. M.

June 11—Box 47, at 1.40 P. M. Fire in woodland off Pond road. Little damage to timber only. Recall 2.40 P. M.

June 12—Box 51, at 7.20 A. M. Fire in cottage corner Cross and West Street, owned and occupied by William Daley. Fire in bedding, which being thrown from window ignited house, causing slight damage to clapboards. Children playing with snap matches cause. Small loss. All out 7.45.

June 22—Box 61, at 11.27 A.M. Overheated stove funnel in residence of C. Jorgansen, Lafayette Street. No material damage. Owing to some trouble of alarm, system Box 61 did not sound properly on whistle and

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caused a little confusion. A few members caught it right.

June 26—Box 27, at 12.07 noon. Fire in woodland on Pond road. Alarm needless. Recall 12.50.

June 30—Box 61, at 7.35 A. M. Fire in woodland in rear of residence of Julius Fisher, where cord wood owned by Chester Payne, H. L. Paul and Edwin Mann was in danger, there being some 125 cord cut, 20 being destroyed. Later in day, Hose 1 wagon was sent and about 1500 feet of hose laid and the ground thoroughly wet down to prevent loss of remaining wood. When members of department arrived at box in response to alarm they were informed it was in Canton and also out of reach of our hose, and some confusion resulted before fire was checked in time to save great loss of wood.

July 1—The Chemical was sent to woodland near residence of late Joshua Hunt, where a brisk brush fire was in progress. Also on the following day.

July 2—The Chemical was sent again, where an all day job failed to put out the fire, which burned in the dry ground like peat.

July 3—Box 47, at 1.42 P. M. Above fire broke out and with fresh west wind crossed road into new residential section called Spotlesstown, or North Randolph; resulted in loss of considerable lumber, out-buildings, etc., but did not damage dwellings to great extent, although very near them at times. A large amount of hose was

laid and a long fight resulted before it was thought safe to send apparatus home at 7.40 P. M.

July 4—Box 54, at 1.05 A. M., for incendiary fire in dilapidated one and one-half story frame building on Silver Street, owned by John Everett, Canton. Totally destroyed. All out signal 2.05 A. M. Value property \$300.00.

July 4—Box 47, at 1.40 P. M. Fire in woodland off North Main Street, near Francis Street, where the smouldering peat fire of July 2 and 3 broke out afresh. Owing to the long distance from water and also the dry nature of the land, it was impossible to entirely extinguish this fire. After a few hours' labor it was thought under control and a detail left under the forest warden and at 3.40 part of the men were sent with the Chemical to another woodland fire on High Street, north of Canton Street, which was partially subdued, and a detail left to guard further breaking out of same.

July 5—Box 47, at 5.57 A. M. Yesterday's fire broke into flame owing to carelessness of watchers, who were entirely played out with last few days' work, and a small cottage partially completed was destroyed, valued at \$600.00, owned by one Brown of Boston. Members of Hose Co. No. 2 were kept all day hauling water in barrels and buckets, and with use of chemical engine and pony chemicals tried to keep down the flames which would spring up from the tinder dry ground. Men were kept on duty both day and night and the box was pulled

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twice more by excited residents before relief came in the shape of rain.

July 10—Box 46. Bell alarm at 12.10 noon, during a very severe thunder storm, lightning having struck residence of Thomas Dee, North Main Street, the upper part of building being thoroughly gutted by fire and water, also great damage to contents, loss involved being about \$1500. All out 2.45.

Aug. 3—Box 42, at 3.57 A. M. False alarm, a heavy thunder storm being also in progress. Recall 4.07.

Aug. 11—On a telephone call Chief Forrest, with the Chemical and men, was called to a fire in a one and one-half story frame building in the section known as Randolph Farms, but building was too far gone to save anything, although it had rained hard all day. Thought to be the work of incendiary. The building was unoccupied and owned by H. M. Westall of Boston. Insured.

Sept. 7—Box 31, at 12.30 A. M. Fire destroyed a one and one-half story frame dwelling on North Street, owned by James D. Lee, unoccupied at time of fire, which is deemed of incendiary origin. Loss \$1300. All out signal 2.30 A. M.

Nov. 2—Box 47, also 46 at about same time, 10.45 A. M. Fire destroyed a partly completed one and one-half story dwelling in North Randolph, owned by Geo. Brewster. Overturning of fat on stove during temporary absence of owner caused the fire. A few furnishings were saved. Loss about \$800 on building and contents; in-

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sured. Recall at 12.45. There being no water available it was watched until no further damage to surrounding property would occur.

This makes a total of twenty bell alarms for the year. ten of which were for woodland, which cost the department many times more than the other calls, with hardly any property loss except to scrub, and some cut wood in one instance.

The property loss was about \$6,300 on a valuation of endangered property of approximately \$28,000 for 1912.

Fire Department Expense 1911-12.

At the regular town meeting in March it was recommended, by the committee on finances, and adopted by the voters, that the Fire Dept.'s fiscal year end on Jan. 1 of the year and the sum of \$3,600 was appropriated to meet the same.

Paid Salaries of members of Dept., 18 months	\$850 00
Hour service, members of Dept., 18 months	721 00
Engineer and Fireman, Steamer 1, 18 mos.	60 50
F. W. Harris, hauling, teams and express	508 05
Randolph and Holbrook Elec. Light Co.	7 17
M. E. Leahy, coal	24 00
Randolph Coal Co., coal	47 50
F. H. Garland, labor	1 50
Gerald Kiley, painting central station	66 00
Stuart, Howland Co., supplies, fire alarm, etc.	77 70
H. F. Libby, repairs	45 04
Chas. E. Young, services	3 00

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W. M. Howard, steward Hose 2, 18 mos.	44 50
F. J. Donahoe, steward central station	95 75
Harold Bailey, care of fire alarm system	100 00
Geo. A. Roel, labor	5 00
Gamewell Fire Alarm and Tel. Co., supplies	44 21
Wm. O. Halloran, steward, ladder truck 1	18 25
Bernard Moore, care of rooms	5 50
Henry Campbell, lettering coats	4 00
H. L. Paul, hauling hose 2 and team, 1912	54 50
Estate James E. Blanch, hauling and care of chemical	280 50
P. Joseph Riley, hauling hose 2, 1911-12	72 00
Badger Fire Extinguisher Co., supplies	7 20
Eagle Oil and Supply Co., supplies	3 00
E. A. Perry, repairs	1 75
Ellen Grady, rent of land	15 00
J. Edward Devine, use of team and labor	6 00
Rubber Hyde Co., leather for gaskets	1 00
N. Y., N. H. & H. R R Co., freight	25
Walter M. Hickey, printing	2 50
John Gill, steward work	43 25
John B. McNeil, labor	4 50
Geo A. Poole, pails	1 60
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co., Canton Junc. hose	350 00
C. C. C. Fire Hose Co, Canton Junc coats	42 00
J. M. Hardy, chemical supplies	5 60
James Fardy, labor and material	11 75
Edwin M. Mann, wood	17 50

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Charles L. Saunders, reins	6 00
Pryne Fire Extinguisher Co. of N. England	7 75
Total	\$3,561 32
Balance unexpended	\$38 68

Condition of Department

There has been 350 feet of new hose purchased this year making a total of about 3,200 feet in the department in good condition.

Repairs that were very much needed were made at the Central Station, also two coats of paint were applied after the building was scraped.

Apparatus, excepting Chemical No. 1, is in fair shape, the agitator or mixer in the rear tank is broken and acid holders in poor shape. We are informed that cost of repairs would be upwards of \$100.00 also the shipment of the machine to Elmira, N. Y. The machine is over 25 years old and there are no patterns of this type. It would hardly pay to expend much money on it, in view of more modern apparatus. The front tank is all right and the rear tank can be used if not left to stand too long causing soda to settle in the bottom and no means to mix solution. If taken proper care of, machine is useful for a while yet, and should be first piece of apparatus to respond to alarm.

We have made some changes in the roster of Dep't. which consists of 38 men at present.

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There has been two three gallon chemical tanks of Standard make, latest improved type, placed on hose 1 wagon, said tanks being in great demand by all departments desiring up-to-date appliances, also one Pryene chemical gun for gasolene and electrical fires.

Above chemical tanks are of the type approved above others by the State Forestry Department and there should be more of them in town for the Forest Warden's use without taking those in the Station.

A wagon should be equipped with 10 or 12 water cans and charges for his use. A great many woodland fires get beyond immediate control on account of inadequate means to fight them and also for the fact that they are not taken in time. With but few exceptions, this town, with the amount of woodland in its limits, has more trouble from woodland fires than any town of its size in Massachusetts. See the amount it cost last year. A woodland fire should be stopped in its first starting and proper means should be at hand to do so. This town is way behind in this respect.

The Forest Warden is supposed to be equipped to take care of woodland fires without aid from the fire department, except in extreme cases, and what good is a line of hose with no water in reach, and it is also expensive to call the department for the amount of damage done, which is usually to scrub or brush ground. In cases where houses adjoin woodland they (the owners) should take means in the proper season to clean up the brush sur-

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rounding their homes and thus lessen the danger when wood fires come in the dry season.

The boxes should not be pulled for every little scrub fire, but the Warden notified at once by telephone (or his deputies if he is not available) and let them determine if the Fire Dep't. can be of service or not. This will be a help in keeping down the expense of maintaining the Department.

We have bought a new set of harness for the Hose 1 wagon, the old harness having been in service around 30 years:

For the expense of maintaining the Department for 1913, we would recommend the following amounts, totaling \$2,400.00.

38 men @ \$12.00 per year	\$450 00
Members of department, fire service	350 00
Engineer of Steamer No. 1	20 00
Fireman of Steamer No. 1	15 00
Fire alarm care and maintenance	250 00
General expenses	1,300 00

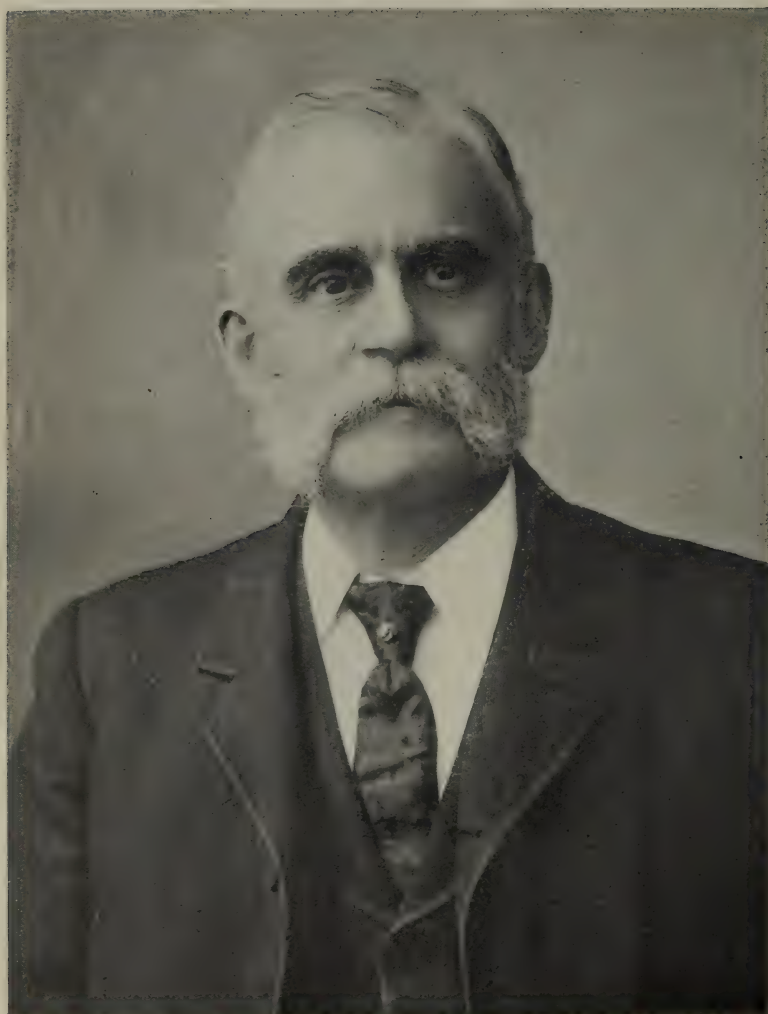
Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD FORREST,
MICHAEL F. SULLIVAN,
GEO. A. ROEL,

Engineers, Randolph Fire Department.

Geo. A. Roel, Clerk for the Board.

Jan. 16, 1913.



DANIEL B. WHITE

Twenty-Seventh Annual Report
OF THE
WATER COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
TOWN OF RANDOLPH
For the Year Ending December 31, 1912

Report of the Water Commissioners.

To the Citizens of Randolph: -

The twenty-seventh annual report of the Water Commissioners for the year ending December 31, 1912 is hereby submitted.

On the third day of March, 1912, the citizens of the town were very much grieved to hear of the death of Mr. Daniel B. White whose death occurred in the vestibule of the First Congregational church of which he was a member.

He will be missed by his family and by those with whom he was socially connected.

He has been very much missed by the surviving members of the Board of which he was the Chairman.

In the death of Mr. White we know that the town has lost an honest, faithful and economical official.

We wish at this time to give expression of our sincere sympathy for the family of our deceased fellow member in the great loss which they have sustained.

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In relation to the replacing of the old pump which has done service for twenty-five years at our pumping station, your Commissioners would report that in conjunction with the members of the Holbrook Water Commissioners, they have held many meetings on the question of pumps and boilers suitable for our present needs. We have consulted with salesmen, managers, agents and the manufacturers of most if not all of the different types of pumping machines such as are used in water pumping stations.

We have jointly and individually made several trips for information and inspection of some of the types that we have had explained to us in order that we might see them in action, and we feel that we have been repaid for the trouble and expense of so doing.

The joint Board has decided that as we were obliged to deliver one million two hundred and eighty eight thousand gallons of water in one day and that it required 18 hours and 15 minutes to do it in, that our station wants at the present time is a pump of the capacity of one thousand seven hundred and fifty gallons a minute. This will enable us to meet the wants of our consumers in both towns not only for the present but during the life of the pump.

Our present boilers, while in good condition for the time they have been in use, (as you will see by report of official inspector,) are not fitted to furnish power for a pump of the above description and get the best results, there-

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fore we will require a new high pressure boiler in order that we may get the most economical results.

Orders have been drawn on the Treasurer amounting to \$11,084.07 as follows, including interest on notes and bonds.

For joint maintenance with Holbrook	\$2,523 01
For joint maintenance with Braintree	4 40
For Randolph maintenance	2,409 36
For service pipe construction	506 77
For Maitland Ave. extension	508 46
For South and Centre Sts. extension	1,492 07
For interest on bonds	3,640 00
	\$11,084 07

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Joint Maintenance Bills Paid by Randolph Water Department.

Paid M. E. Leahy, coal	\$303 35
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	79
John Carr, labor	7 75
John Finley, labor	2 00
H. F. Libby, labor	1 10
Edson Mfg. Co., supplies	4 50
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies	5 99
Frank Diauto, hay and grain	21 85
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies	18 34
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	4 00
Green, Tweed & Co., supplies	1 75
John Carr, labor	4 00
John B. McNeil, labor	85
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	9 09
J. B. Mahoney, supplies	3 36
Richard H. Forrest, labor	48 26
The Fair Banks Co.,	1 11
John V. Beal	2 00
Morton Holbrook, labor	4 00
H. L. Paul, labor	2 00
Quaker City Rubber Co., supplies	4 81
Bay State St. R'y Co., freight	65
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies	8 14
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7 06
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies	8 15
N. E. Iron Works Co.	38 85

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American Oil Co.	32 83
Richard F. Forrest, labor	81 25
Augustus Forrest, labor	50 00
A. F. Bickford, labor	2 25
Frank Mann, labor	4 25
Augustus Forrest, labor	14 00
William H. Carrall, labor	1 50
Fred A. Spear, painting	10 90
N. E. Buck, hay and grain	42 68
Schultz Belting Co., supplies	2 23
Robberts Iron Works Co., supplies	50
C. C. C. Fire Hose & Rubber Co., hose	8 00
Barrett Mfg. Co., paint	4 25
Frank Dianto, hay and grain	24 32
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies	53
Eegle Oil & Supply Co.,	5 00
Randolph Coal Co.,	635 41
James Fardy, labor	15 95
Edwin M. Mann, wood	3 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6 93
Richard F. Forrest, labor	27 50
Richard F. Forrest, expense	5 25
Frank Mann, labor	2 00
Augustus Forrest, labor	23 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 45
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies	40 12
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	5 00
Randolph Coal Co., coal	590 71

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N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7 89
A. Hagney, Mdse.	6 00
William D. Hulchfield, labor	13 65
A. Forrest, labor	21 00
Frank Mann, labor	1 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	61 25
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	62
E. W. Campagna, labor and lumber	8 80
Frank Mann, labor	3 00
Richard F. Forrest, expense and carfare	4 00
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	1 13
Walworth Mfg. Co., supplies	6 36
Bay State St. R'y Co., freight	75
Valroline Oil Co.	39 00
Lock Regulator Co., supplies	26
Geo. W. Knowlton Rubber Co., supplies	1 50
Crosby Steam Valve Co.	5 63
Eagle Oil Supply Co.	4 19
Frank Diauto, hay and grain	36 89
Richard F. Forrest, labor	18 75
F. W. Hayden, supplies	20 68
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	25
C. F. Blanch, carriage hire	11 00
N. E. Buck, hay and grain	41 44
Morton Holbrook, labor	12 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	7 07
Henry Campbell, painting wagon	20 00
R. E. O'Brien, labor and fixtures	9 79

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Frank W. Harris, expressing	3 55	
		\$2,523 01
Received from Braintree Water Department		
for water supplied Braintree Highlands	\$54 73	
		\$2,468 28
Joint Maintenance Bills Paid by Holbrook Water Department		
Paid W. H. Ward, engineer's salary	\$1,200 00	
John W. Porter	799 21	
Jeremiah Sullivan	10 50	
A. B. Jram	15 00	
Pay roll	4 00	
W. H. Ward, supplies	3 20	
Geo. T. Wilde	11	
		\$2,032 02
Paid by Randolph as above	\$2,523 01	
Less amount received from		
Braintree	54 73	
		\$2,468.28
One half to be paid by each town	\$4,500 30	
		\$2,250 15
Paid by Holbrook as above	\$2,032 02	
Due by Holbrook to balance account	218 13	
		\$2,250 15

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Joint Maintenance Account with Randolph, Braintree and Holbrook

Paid by Randolph	\$13 20
One third to be paid by each town	
Paid by Braintree Water Department	\$4 40
Paid by Holbrook Water Department	4 40
Paid by Randolph Water Department	4 40
	\$13 20

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Paid John Carr, labor	\$13 00
Nicholas Moore, labor	1 25
Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.	10 00
National Meter Co., meters	56 20
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	8 60
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., supplies	6 24
Patrick H. McLaughlin, expense	1 15
John Carr, labor	30 00
Patrick Jordan, labor	6 30
John B. McNeil, labor	2 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6 71
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	1 00
Arthur W. Alden, postage	1 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	67 50
John V. Beal	3 00
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	11 31
Frank Mann, labor	11 25

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Morton Holbrook, labor	56 00
Sumerville Savings Bank, interest	60 00
Edward A. Penny, labor	75
National Meter Co.	22 05
Bay State St. R. W. Co., freight	75
Neptune Meter Co.	2 40
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4 29
Cartwright & Hurley, floral piece	5 00
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank in- terest -	20 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	108 75
Arthur W. Alden, postage	13 12
Frank Mann, labor	12 00
Arthur W. Alden, postage	1 20
Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treas., interest	38 00
Elmer A. Stevens, Treas., interest	300 00
Parkman M. Lund, interest	30 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	17 50
Walter L. Hickey, printing	9 00
Neptune Meter Co.	3 75
Arthur W. Alden, postage	5 62
Frank Mann, labor	44 50
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	25
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	4 47
Richard F Forrest, labor	160 00
Frank Mann, labor	40 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	2 27
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	53

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F. A. Hyde & Co., supplies	6 50
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	10 23
Union Water Meter Co.,	2 75
National Mtetr Co.,	13 73
Charles H. Cole	2 50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.,	6 73
Frank Mann, labor	10 00
Frank Jaqueth	1 00
Richard F. Forrest	125 00
Somerville Savings Bank, interest	60 00
Frank Mann, labor	17 00
Arthur W. Alden, postage	5 20
Arlington Savings Bank, interest	20 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	97 50
Parkman M. Lund, interest	30 00
Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treas., interest	38 00
Randolph Savings Bank, interest	17 50
Frank Mann, labor	16 00
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	33 17
Est. of Daniel B. White, rent	50 00
Union Water Meter Co.,	19 35
Walter L. Hickey, printing	7 75
Jeremiah Sullivan, labor	3 00
Elmer A. Stevens, Treas., interest	300 00
Richard F. Forrest, labor	48 75
Bernard Moore, care of room	6 00
National Meter Co.,	141 45
Arthur W. Alden, postage	27

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Morton Holbrook, labor	81 00
C. Fred Lyons, supplies	55
Braintree Water Department	7 34
R. E. O'Brien, labor	22 25
Frank W. Hanis, exp.	5 40
Patrick H. McLaughlin, exp.	4 23
	\$2,409 36

Service Pipe Construction

Paid Sumner & Gerald, supplies	\$177 06
Morton Holbrook, labor	11 50
John E. Fitzgerald, labor	4 00
Frank Mann, labor	12 50
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	44 33
Union Water Meter Co.,	38 70
Frank Mann, labor	12 00
William H. Carrall, casting pipe	7 00
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	15 68
Charles H. Cole	2 50
Frank Mann, labor	5 00
Sumner & Gerald, supplies	28 00
Frank Mann, labor	43 50
Benj. Mann, labor	4 00
Morton Holbrook	101 00
	\$506 77

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Maitland Ave. Extension

Paid Randolph Coal Co.,	\$3 75
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	60
W. L. Gage for Braintree Water Dept., pipe	248 29
William Jones, labor	11 25
Morton Holbrook, labor	19 25
John F. Gill, labor	17 00
John Reynolds, labor	18 00
George F. Howard, labor	11 25
H. C. Truelson, labor	21 00
Fred H. Alison, labor	16 50
H. C. Neilson, labor	18 75
Amos L. Holbrook, labor	9 50
Frank Mann, labor	21 50
Chapman Valve Co.,	50 14
Chadwick Boston Lead Co.,	26 41
Timothy Lyons, casting pipe	15 27
	508 46

South and Centre Sts. Extension

Paid Tenney, Morse Co., pipe	\$1,127 33
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight	11 00
Sumner & Gerald ,supplies	38 70
Chapman Valve Co., hydrants and gates	272 86
Timothy Lyons, casting pipe	42 18
	\$1,492 07

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Receipts

Fixed rates	\$5,709 15
Meter rates	4,307 77
Meter rentals	518 22
Labor and fixtures	326 65
Town of Braintree	54 73
	\$10,916 52
Less rebates	35 85
We have Treasurer's receipts for	\$10,880 67
There is due the Department from sundry persons as follows:	
For Water by fixed rates	\$695 23
Water by meter rates and rentals	1,005 33
	\$1,700 56

The Commissioners ask for an appropriation of twenty-five hundred dollars for the Sinking Fund.

WILLIAM F. BARRETT,

RICHARD F. FORREST,

Water Commissioners.

Feb. 1st, 1913.

We the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of the Water Com-

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missioners and find them correct with the proper vouchers for all orders drawn on the Treasurer.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 19th day of December, 1912, by Inspector E. Mason Parry. One horizontal tubular boiler No. 2.

Internally: Aside from a slight incrustation on the lower rows of tubes, the surfaces are practically clean and free from wasting. Bracing is sound and of good tension. Fusible plug is intact. Openings to attachments are clear.

Externally: The surfaces exposed to the action of the products of combustion are free from apparent defects. Seams and tube ends are tight. Appliances are in order. Pressure guage is correct. Brick work is in good condition.

Yours respectfully,

C. E. ROBERTS, Maonager.

Boston, December 24, 1912.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company

The Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company makes the following report of the condition of your steam boiler inspected on the 2nd, day of January, 1913, by Inspector E. Mason Parry. One horizontal tubular boiler, No. 1.

Internally: The inner surfaces of this boiler are coated with a light incrustation beneath which there is evidence of general wear incident to age and service. This deterioration is more in evidence on the tubes some of which are liable to give trouble at any time. Bracing is sound and of good tension. Fusible plug is intact. Openings to outside attachments are clear.

Externally: Aside from a general wear the surfaces exposed to the actions of the products are free from apparent defects. Seams and tube ends show no indications of fracture or breakage. Appliances are in order. Pressure gauge is correct. Brick work of furnace needs repairs.

We would call your attention to a paragraph of the report relative to the condition of the tube and state that in view of the fact that this boiler has seen 22 years' service we would not advise retubing same.

Yours respectfully,
C. E. ROBERTS, Manager.

Boston, January 6th, 1913.

Randolph and Holbrook Water Works,
Randolph, Mass.

NOTE:—Certificate of inspection must by law be posted under glass in the engine or boiler room.

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TO THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

RANDOLPH AND HOLBROOK WATER WORKS :

The following is the usual table :—

1912	Gallons Pumped	Gallons daily average	Coal Burned	Coal Daily Average
January	11,060,000	358,776	67,710	2,184
February	11,172,000	385,224	68,550	2,367
March	11,284,000	364,000	67,310	2,171
April	10,612,000	353,733	60,950	2,031
May	12,208,000	393,806	67,370	2,173
June	17,416,000	580,533	89,300	2,310
July	21,532,000	694,580	94,730	3,055
August	12,124,000	391,096	56,460	1,900
September	11,480,000	382,666	57,710	1,924
October	11,004,000	335,000	56,340	1,817
November	9,268,000	308,966	50,570	1,686
December	9,380,000	302,581	54,630	1,762
Totals	148,540,000	406,958	791,630	2,168
Decrease from last year	24,852,000	68,087	58,280	160

Largest day's pumping July 9, 1912, 1,288,000 gallons pumped. Time, 18 hours, 15 minutes.

Largest week's pumping ended July 10, 1912, 8,036,000 gallons pumped.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. WARD, Engineer.

Rules and Regulations

The following regulations, until further notice, shall be considered a part of the contract with every person who uses water:

1. All applications for use of water must be made at the office of the Water Commissioners, and state fully the purposes for which it is intended to be used. Water will not be introduced into any building or premises except on the written application of the owner thereof, or by a duly authorized agent. The property will in all cases be held responsible for water rates.
2. All persons taking water must keep their water pipes and fixtures in good repair and protected from frost at their own expense. They will be held liable for all damages resulting from their failure to do so. They shall prevent all unnecessary waste, and water shall not be left running to prevent freezing. The Water Commissioners or their agents may, from time to time, ascertain the quantity of water used, the manner of its use, and whether there is any unnecessary waste. They and their agents shall have free access to the premises supplied, to examine the apparatus, and if any fixtures are found not to be in good order, they shall direct them repaired, and if not repaired within two days the water shall be shut off and not let on again until such repairs are made, and the sum of two dollars paid for shutting off and turning on the water.
3. The occupant of any premises, when unnecessary

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waste of water occurs, shall be liable to a fine of two dollars for the first offence, and four dollars for the second offence during the same year, and shall be notified thereof in writing; and if such waste is not prevented and the fine aforesaid paid within two days from the time when the said notice is given, water shall be shut off from the premises, and shall not be again let on for the same occupant until the waste be stopped and the fine paid, together with an additional sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water; and in case of a third or subsequent offence the water shall be shut off, and shall not again be let on except by a vote of the Water Commissioners and the payment of such fine, not exceeding ten dollars, as the Water Commissioners may impose.

4. Any person supplied with water shall not allow another to take water from their fixtures without the written permission of the Water Commissioners. If any tenant, having no fixtures, has any use of such fixtures, full rates will be charged for such use by each tenant.

5. All parties using water in stables, for horses or other animals, will be charged schedule rates for the same, whether it be carried by hand or through hose.

6. All persons using water for building purposes are required to obtain a permit from the Water Commissioners before taking water from any faucet or fixture connected with the water works, and all water takers are warned not to let any party take water from their premises until they show a permit from the Water Commis-

sioners. Any person furnishing water in violation of this section will be subject to a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and if the same when levied is not paid within three days from the time when the notice thereof is given, the water will be shut off from the premises and will not be let on again until such fine is paid.

7. All fixtures and water closets and urinals must be of a kind and quality approved by the Water Commissioners.

8. No person shall in any case be allowed to open any fire hydrants except by a written permit from the Water Commissioners; but the Engineers of the Fire Department shall in all cases have control of hydrants at fires and for practice.

9. The Commissioners reserve the right to restrict the use of hose or fountain, to shut off the water in all cases when it becomes necessary to make extensions or repairs, or for violation of any of the regulations or whenever they deem it expedient.

10. The regular rates for the use of water shall be payable in advance on the first days of January and July of each year, except where water is supplied to manufacturers by special agreement. In all cases of non-payment of the water rates within ten days after same is due, as well as for any violation of these rules and regulations, the supply will be shut off, and the water will not again be let on except upon the payment of the amount due, and

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the sum of two dollars for shutting off and letting on the water.

11. The Water Commissioners reserve the right to change the water rates at any time, except in case of dwelling houses and established special rates.

12. For business requiring large quantities of water, and all supplies not enumerated in the tariff of rates, special rates will be made.

13. Parties using water for manufacturing or domestic purposes can erect hydrants on their grounds or stand-pipes in their building to be used only as a protection against fire without additional charge for water.

14. All service pipes will be put in by the Water Commissioners. All applicants for the introduction of service pipes into their premises are required to make written application therefor at the office of the Water Commissioners. The Commissioners may then proceed to lay the necessary service pipes to the interior of the building, provided all expense incurred beyond the line of the street shall be paid by the owner of the premises, who shall thereafter maintain and keep the same in good order at his own cost; and the same shall be at all times subject to the control of the Commissioners. All applicants for whom the pipe is laid will be charged for the use of one faucet whether the water is used or not, unless they pay an expense that has been incurred in laying such service pipe, and in no case will the main be tapped more than

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once for the same premises, unless the additional expense is borne by the owner.

The following water rates are established until further notice:

No connection made with the main pipe for any purpose for less than	\$6 00
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Dwelling-Houses

Occupied by one family, for the first faucet	\$6 00
Each additional faucet to be used by the same family	2 00
Two or more families occupying one house, one faucet for all, each family	5 00
One faucet for each family	6 00
For first bathtub	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional bathtub	2 00
For first pan or self-acting water closet	5 00
If used by more than one family in same house, each family	4 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	2 00
In no case shall the charge for the use of water by a private family, exclusive of hose and stable, be more than	20 00
Where two faucets are used, one for hot and one for cold water, emptying into the same basin, only one charge will be made for both.	
Laundry tub	3 00

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Boarding-Houses and Hotels

First faucet ..	\$10 00
Each additional faucet	3 00
First bathtub	10 00
Each additional bathtub	3 00
First pan or self-acting water closet	10 00
Each additional pan or self-acting water closet	3 00

Private Stables

First horse	\$5 00
Each additional horse	3 00
Each cow or ox	1 00

Livery, Express and Boarding Stables

For the first four horses	\$12 00
From five to twelve horses, each	2 00

The above prices include water for washing carriages.

Offices, Stores, Markets, Barber Shops and Restaurants. When used for ordinary purposes, same as for dwelling houses.

Building purposes. Each cask of lime of cement	05
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Hose

For sprinkling streets, washing windows and similar uses, 1-4--inch nozzle to be used only on premises and street opposite, not exceeding two hours per day for six months in the year	\$5 00
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For any use not herein enumerated, special rates will be made.

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Meter Rates Payable at time of Reading

For not over 1,000 gallons average per day, per 1,000 gallons	\$0 30
For over 1,000 gallons and not exceeding 2,000 gallons average per day per 1,000 gallons	25
For over 2,000 gallons per day, per 1,000 gallons	20

Provided that in no case where a meter is used shall the annual charge be less than \$8.

Meters may be supplied by the Water Commissioners, for which an annual rental will be charged as follows:

Size 5-8 inch, \$2.00 per year.

Size 3-4 inch, \$2.00 per year.

All needed repairs, damages by heat and frost excepted, will be made at the expense of the town.

WM. F. BARRETT,

RICHARD F. FORREST,

Water Commissioners.

REPORT
OF
TOWN TREASURER

Report of Town Treasurer

Water Department

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1911,	\$2,646 55
Received water rates	10,880 67
Interest on deposits,	52 27

\$13,579 49

Disbursements

Paid order Water Commissioners	\$7,444 07
Paid Interest on Bonds	3,640 00
Balance on hand Dec. 30, 1912	2,495 42

\$13,579 49

Financial Statement by Months

Months	Receipts	Payments	Balance
Balance Dec. 31, 1911			2,646 55
January,	1,087 34	333 74	3,400 15
February,	462 92		3,863 07
March,	379 44	613 73	3,629 28
April,	463 05	1,361 72	2,730 61
May,	766 98	294 22	3,203 37

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June,	235 78	692 03	2,747 09
July,	2,935 20	1,071 70	4,610 59
August,	612 31	863 15	4,359 75
September,	235 23	705 29	3,889 69
October,	400 16	992 38	3,297 47
November,	46 07	140 00	3,203 54
December,	3,308 49	4,016 61	2,495 42

Randolph, February 1, 1913.

The undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have this day examined the accounts of Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer of the Water Commissioners and find the same correct and the balance as stated above.

M. F. Cunningham,

John B. Wren,

John K. Willard,

Auditors.

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Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer, in account with Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund.

Receipts

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1911,	\$4,548 15
Received Town Appropriation,	2,500 00
Received for Town of Randolph Note Wales Ave.,	500 00
Received for Town of Randolph Note, No. 8 School,	300 00
Received for 7 Gloucester and Essex Street Railway Bonds,	7,105 00
Received for 3 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds,	2,853 75
Received for 2 American Telephone & Telegraph Bonds,	1,817 50
Received for 1 Town of Randolph Water Bond,	1,000 00
Received from Randolph Savings Bank,	976 85
Received from Abington Savings Bank,	518 80
Received from Quincy Savings Bank,	1,065 60
Received from No. Easton Savings Bank,	1,070 84
Received from Brockton Savings Bank,	439 22
Received Interest:	
Quincy Savings Bank,	21 30
On deposits in Old Colony Trust Company,	40 95
On 7 Gloucester & Essex St. Railway Bonds, \$1000 each,	110 83
On 3 Boston Elevated Railway Bonds, \$1000 each,	48 00
On 2 American Telephone & Telegraph Bonds \$1000 each,	18 67

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On 1 Old Colony Railway Bond, \$3000, 1 year at 4 per cent.	120 00
On 4 N. Y. N. H. & H. Railway Bonds, \$1000 each, one year at 4 per cent.	160 00
On 3 Boston & Maine Railway Bonds, \$1000 each, one year at 4 1-2 per cent.,	135 00
On 2 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Bonds, \$1000 each, one year at 4 per cent.,	80 00
On 3 Fitchburg Railway Bonds, \$1000 each, one year,	120 00
On 8 American Telephone & Telegraph Bonds, \$1000 each, one year at 4 per cent.,	320 00
On 6 Town of Randolph Notes, \$300 each 1 year at 4 per cent.	72 00
On 3 Town of Randolph Notes \$500 each, 1 year, at 4 per cent.,	60 00
On 1 Town of Randolph Note, \$300, one year at 4 per cent.,	12 00
On 1 Town of Randolph Note, \$1100, one year at 4 per cent.,	44 00
On 1 Town of Randolph Note, \$500, one year at 4 per cent.,	20 00
On 22 Town of Randolph Bonds, six months at 4 per cent.,	440 00
On 21 Town of Randolph Bonds, six months at 4 per cent.,	420 00
	\$26,938 46

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Expenditures

Commission on sale of Telephone & Telegraph

Bonds,	2 50
Paid for 2 Town of Randolph Notes,	1,600 00
Paid one Town of Randolph Note,	700 00
Paid 20 Town of Randolph Bonds,	20,000 00
Balance on deposit in Old Colony Trust Co.,	4,635 96
	\$26,938 46

Financial Exhibit of the Water Department

December 31, 1912

Liabilities

Water Bonds and Notes Outstanding:

Dec. 31, 1914	\$1,500 00
Dec. 31, 1914	300 00
Dec. 31, 1915	1,100 00
Dec. 31, 1915	500 00
May 1, 1917	40,000 00
May 1, 1918	20,000 00
Dec. 16, 1918	1,000 00
July 1, 1922	25,000 00
Nov. 5, 1923	3,000 00
July 1, 1926	10,000 00
	\$102,400 00

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Assets

Amount in Sinking Fund,	\$54,635 96
Cash in hands of Treasurer,	2,495 42
Accounts due and unpaid,	1,700 56
	\$58,831 94
Net Debt,	\$43,568 06
Water Debt., Dec. 31, 1911	\$48,902 43
Water Debt Dec. 31, 1912,	43,568 06
Decrease in Water Debt,	\$5,334 37

State of the Randolph Water Loan Sinking Fund

Two Town of Randolph Notes, \$800 each,	\$1,600 00
Five Town of Randolph Notes, \$300 each,	1,500 00
Two Town of Randolph Notes, \$500 each,	1,000 00
One Town of Randolph Note,	1,100 00
One Town of Randolph Note,	500 00
One Town of Randolph Note,	300 00
Twenty-one Town of Randolph Bonds,	21,000 00
Four New York, N. H. & H. Railway Bonds,	4,000 00
Eight American Telephone & Telegraph Bonds,	8,000 00
Three Boston & Maine Railway Bonds,	3,000 00
One Old Colony Railway Bond,	3,000 00
Three Fitchburg Railway Bonds,	3,000 00
Two Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Bonds,	2,000 00
On deposit, Old Colony Trust Co.,	4,635 96
	\$54,635 96

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Randolph, Feb. 1, 1913.

The undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph have examined the Sinking Fund, and find it to agree with the statement above made.

M. F. Cunningham,

John B. Wren,

John K. Willard,

Auditors.

Patrick H. McLaughlin, Treasurer, in account with
Town of Randolph

Dr.

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1911,	\$5,457 02
Received from Town Notes in anticipation of Taxes,	48,000 00
Received for Coddington Note,	1,600 00
Received Taxes of 1908,	\$ 31 17
Received Taxes of 1909,	3,115 03
Received Taxes of 1910,	6,500 00
Received Taxes of 1911,	8,500 00
Received Taxes of 1912,	34,325 00
Received Excise Taxes, 1912,	1,708 18
	\$54,179 38
Received from Selectmen,	\$1,187 50

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Received from State Treasurer:

Corporation Tax, P. S., 1912,	\$1,814 35	
Corporation Tax, B., 1912,	1,566 36	
National Bank Tax, 1912,	1,411 49	
Military Aid, 1911,	318 00	
State Aid, 1911,	3,962 00	
Burial Indigent Soldiers, 1911,	111 00	
Street Railway Tax, 1912,	1,863 10	
Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth,	17 80	
		\$11,064 10

Received on account of School Committee:

Town of Holbrook,	\$ 2 43	
Town of Avon,	1 95	
Coddington Fund,	32 00	
State Treasurer, Superintend & Teaching,	500 00	
State Treasurer, Tuition,	171 00	
County Treasurer, Dig licenses,	502 14	
		\$1,209 52

Sundries:

F. Riley,	\$ 14 29	
Flagg & Willis,	1 07	
Brockton Gas Light Company,	47 25	
Sale of Ink Well,	1 35	
Court fees, Dedham,	15 00	
Court fees, Quincy,	188 42	
		\$267 38

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License:

Express,	\$ 2 00	
Auctioneer,	4 00	
Slaughtering,	1 00	
Pool,	4 00	
		\$11 00

From Towns on account Poor:

Abington,	\$ 8 00	
Holbrook,	151 57	
Acton,	101 58	
Braintree,	99 23	
Canton,	51 00	
Duxbury,	51 75	
Quincy,	20 50	
Billerica,	81 40	
Stoneham,	26 00	
		\$591 03

Interest:

On Taxes,	\$1,669 94	
On Deposits,	68 11	
		\$1,738 05
		\$125,304 98

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Paid Notes,	\$49,600 00
Selectmen orders,	72,204 45
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1912,	3,500 53
	\$125,304 98

CONDENSED MONTHLY STATEMENT

Months	RECEIPTS							EXPENDITURES		Balance
	Taxes	Selectmen Sundry Accts.	Notes	Interest	Other Towns	State Treasurer	All Others	Town Orders	Notes	
Dec. 31 '11				\$ 5.30			\$14.29	\$3258.69		\$5,457.02
January	\$1,300.00		\$35,000.00	125.00	\$360.38		3.07	3,408.13		2578.30
February	1,150.00			6.73	123.25		4.38	5,662.82	\$25,000.00	725.87
March	1,550.00			110.03	81.40		50.25	4,529.04		6,301.18
April	1,800.00	\$ 67.50		4.92	26.00		3.35	8,216.87		3,508.42
May	1,425.00	125.00		325.00				2,956.54	5,000.00	2,167.32
June	1,800.00			106.90			41.33	4,712.76	1,600.00	1,085.78
July	1,950.00			152.19		\$671.00	32.00	2,363.47		1,321.25
August	3,450.00			422.23		11,064.10	2.00	5,077.73	10,000.00	559.47
September	24,646.20	200.00		68.07			4.76	7,913.10	5,000.00	7,565.40
October	6,200.00	100.00		162.86			159.33	14,277.75	3,000.00	5,819.61
November	8,908.18	695.00		248.82			502.14	9,832.55		3,500.53
December										
1911	\$54,179.38	\$1,187.50	\$49,600.00	\$1,738.05	\$591.03	11,735.10	\$816.90	\$72,204.45	\$49,600.00	\$ 5,457.02
	52,429.62	1,141.51	\$4,800.00	1,492.80	642.09	1,3066.46	696.63	72,715.16	45,000.00	

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Financial Exhibit

Liabilities

Two notes, \$500 each, Wales Avenue	\$1,000 00
Two notes, \$800 each, General Expense	1,600 00
Twenty-five notes, 4½p.c., reduction Town debt	27,500 00
Fifteen notes, 4 1-10 p.c., new High School	22,500 00
Three notes, \$500. each, 4 p.c., Woodlawn St.	1,500 00
Five notes, \$300 each, 4 p.c., No. 8 School	1,500 00
One note, 3.74 p.c., anticipation of Taxes	25,000 00
One note, 3.84 p.c., anticipation of Taxes	5,000 00
	\$85,600 00

Assets

Unpaid Taxes, 1910	\$4,119 17
Unpaid Taxes, 1911	10,436 39
Unpaid Taxes, 1912	20,316 66
State aid, 1912	3,850 00
Military aid, 1912	456 00
Burial of indigent soldiers, 1912	74 00

Due from Towns:

Duxbury	\$65 00
Billerica	93 00
Stoneham	291 75
Quincy	13 00
Acton	37 00
Everett	35 00
Canton	8 00

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Weymouth	.82 50	
Cohasset	208 37	
Boston	52 00	
Holbrook	183 50	
Abington	146 00	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1912	3,500 53	
		\$43,967 87
Net Town debt		\$41,632 13
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1911	\$45,219 98	
Net Town debt Dec. 31, 1912	41,632 13	
Decrease in Town debt	\$3,587 85	

In addition to the above the Treasurer holds the Coddington Fund of \$1,900 on deposit in the Randolph Savings Bank, the income of which is to be applied for school purposes only.

Randolph, Mass., Feb. 1, 1913.

The undersigned Auditors of the Town of Randolph respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and find the same correctly kept, with proper vouchers and entries for all payments and receipts.

M. F. CUNNINGHAM,
JOHN B. WREN,
JOHN K. WILLARD,

Auditors.

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Statement Showing Provisions For Payment Of Town Notes

1913	\$500	\$500	\$300	\$800	\$1500	\$1500	\$5100
1914	500	500	300	800	1500	1500	5100
1915	500		300		1500	1500	3800
1916			300		1500	1500	3300
1917			300		1500	1500	3300
1918					1000	1500	2500
1919					1000	1500	2500
1920					1000	1500	2500
1921					1000	1500	2500
1922					1000	1500	2500
1923					1000	1500	2500
1924					1000	1500	2500
1925					1000	1500	2500
1926					1000	1500	2500
1927					1000	1500	2500
1928					1000		1000
1929					1000		1000
1930					1000		1000
1931					1000		1000
1932					1000		1000
1933					1000		1000
1934					1000		1000
1935					1000		1000
1936					1000		1000
1937					1000		1000

Anticipation of Taxes

\$55,600
30,000

\$85,600

Record of Town Meetings, 1912

Annual Town Meeting

Randolph, Mass., March 4, 1912.

Pursuant to a warrant issued by the Selectmen of Randolph, dated February 19, 1912, and returned by James W. McGerigle, Constable, the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Monday, March 4, 1912.

The meeting was called to order by Fred M. French, Moderator. The warrant and return was read by the Town Clerk, after which action was taken as follows:

Article 1. To choose all such Town officers as are required to be chosen by ballot, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall License be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?"

Voted, that we proceed to ballot for all such Town officers as towns are by law authorized to choose at their annual meeting, viz.: A moderator, a town clerk, a town

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treasurer, three selectmen and overseers of the poor, an assessor for three years, one member of the school committee for three years, one trustee of Stetson School Fund for three years, three auditors, seven constables, three fish wardens, three fence viewers, one tree warden, one water commissioner for three years, and a collector of taxes, also on the same ballot to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question. "Shall license for the sale of intoxicating liquors be granted in this town?"; that the polls shall be kept open until two o'clock P. M.; that Articles 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 of the warrant be referred to a committee of seven to be appointed by the Moderator, said committee to report at an adjournment of this meeting, and when this meeting adjourns it shall be to Wednesday, March 20, 1912, at 7.30 P. M. for the purpose of taking action upon the report of said committee.

The moderator appointed the following Committee: John V. Beal, William J. Good, John K. Willard, Daniel J. Brennan, Henry A. Belcher, Patrick M. Kiley, Herbert F. French.

The following persons served as Election Officers and were sworn by the Town Clerk: Ballot box, Timothy H. Mullins; check list, George H. Dixon, Michael E. Clark; ballot clerks, Joseph F. Dennehy, Percy H. Thomson;

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deputy ballot clerks, George H. Wheeler, William W. Hurley; officers at the gates, John F. Gill, Edward J. McMahon; officer outside the hall, Joseph W. O. Mahoney; tellers, Frank H. Jaquith, Frank H. Tileston, Herman Shaw, George A. Roel, H. E. Saunders, Norman F. Baker, Daniel P. Lyons, George V. Kelleher, Lawrence McGrath, Hugh A. McMahon, William P. Sullivan, Charles T. Powderly.

The ballot box was examined and found in good working order and at 5.50 the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

The ballot box was opened at 9.45 a. m., when 502 ballots had been cast.

Ballot box register 469.

During the counting of the ballots and before the declaration of the results, the following articles were acted upon:

Article 2. To choose all such Town officers as are not required to be chosen by ballot.

Surveyors of Wood and Bark

Charles H. Cole	Eugene Thayer
George A. Averell	Charles D. Hill
Joseph T. Leahy	Michael E. Leahy

Pound Keeper

Michael M. Sullivan

Field Drivers

A. Howard Holbrook	James J. Hurley
James G. Heney	John J. Barrett
Farrell H. Cain	Chester L. Paine

Article 35. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Selectmen to be the agents and attorneys of the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits in which the town may be in any manner interested as a party or otherwise except so far as the same relates in any way to the water supply and to employ counsel if necessary.

Voted that the Selectmen be so authorized and appointed.

Article 36. To see if the Town will authorize and appoint the Water Commissioners to be the agents and attorneys of the town to prosecute, defend, compromise and settle any and all suits and proceedings in which the town may be interested as a party or otherwise so far as the same in any manner relates to the taking of the water of Great Pond or in the construction of the Water Works either jointly or separately as authorized under Chapter 217 of the Acts of 1885 and to employ counsel if necessary.

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Voted that the Water Commissioners be so authorized and appointed.

Article 37. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money temporarily in anticipation of taxes of the present municipal year and fix the sum he is authorized to borrow.

Voted that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year beginning March 4, 1912, to an amount not exceeding in the aggregate \$50,000., and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the taxes of said municipal year.

At 2 o'clock it was voted to close the polls.

The ballots having been counted declaration of the results was made as follows:

Whole number of ballots 852.

Moderator

Fred M. French	530
T. J. Clifford	1
M. J. Daly	1
Blanks	320

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Town Clerk

*Patrick H. McLaughlin	415
Walter F. Stephens	404
Blanks	33

Town Treasurer

*Patrick H. McLaughlin	398
Walter F. Stephens	396
Blanks	58

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor

*Jeremiah J. Desmond	501
*Daniel Driscoll	387
James H. Dunphy	334
John E. McDonald	383
*Charles H. Thayer	479
Blanks	472

Assessor

Daniel Driscoll	204
James H. Dunphy	207
*Charles H. Thayer	302
Blanks	139

School Committee

Edmond K. Belcher	358
*George V. Higgins	406
Blanks	88

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Trustee Stetson School Fund

Edmond K. Belcher	357
*George V. Higgins	398
Blanks	97

Water Commissioner

*William F. Barrett	568
F. D. McCarty	1
N. Moore	1
Blanks	282

Auditors

*Michael F. Cunningham	408
William H. Leavitt	348
*John K. Willard	565
*John B. Wren	470
Blanks	765

Tax Collector

James G. Heney	295
*Edward Long	467
Blanks	90

Constables

*Frank J. Donohoe	532
James Foley	329
*Joseph H. Foster	472
*Frank W. Harris	541

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*James W. McGerigle	416
*P. Joseph Riley	514
*Lincoln Stetson	474
Michael F. Sullivan	383
*Fred W. Vye	429
Blanks	1,874

Fence Viewers

*Albert F. Bickford	380
*Charles F. Blanche	460
*Wesley C. Poole	273
John Lyons	250
John Sheehan	178
Blanks	1,009

Fish Wardens

*Thomas F. Boyle	379
John J. Brady	252
*George W. Hill	327
Henry J. Mann	237
*Dennis Murphy	257
Blanks	1,104

Tree Warden

Albert F. Bickford	199
*Charles F. Blanche	358
Charles H. Cole	212
Blanks	83

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License

Yes	329
No	412
Blanks	111

* Elected.

The ballots and unused ballots were sealed up in open town meeting and at 6.45 p. m. the meeting adjourned to Wednesday March 20, 1912, at 7.30 o'clock p. m.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk.

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Adjourned Town Meeting

Randolph, March 20, 1912.

The annual Town meeting adjourned to this date was called to order at 7.30 o'clock P. M. by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

A printed report was submitted by the Committee on Appropriations.

Voted unanimously that the report of the Committee be accepted.

Article 3. To hear the report of the Town officers and act thereon.

Voted that the reports of said officers for the year ending Dec. 31, 1911, be accepted.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the support of schools including the conveyance of pupils and raise and appropriate the same.

Voted that the sum of \$15,330.00 which includes the appropriation asked for under Article 5 be raised and appropriated as follows:

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For teaching	\$8,489 00
Care of rooms	1,331 00
Fuel	1,200 00
Books and supplies	1,200 00
Miscellaneous, incidental and general repairs	1,100 00
Transportation of pupils	350 00
Superintendent of schools	500 00
Stetson High School	2,800 00
School physician	100 00
School committee	300 00

\$17,370 00

Less estimated income from Dog

Tax, State School fund and

Coddington fund \$1,390 00

State, for Superintendent of Schools 300 00

State, for salaries of teachers 200 00

Tuition for State Wards 150 00

\$2,040 00

\$15,330 00

Article 5. To see what action the town will take in relation to the Stetson High School.

The appropriation under this article having been included in article 4 it was voted that the same be dismissed.

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Article 6. To raise money to defray the general Town expenses for the current year and appropriate the same.

Voted that article 29 be considered in connection with article 6 and that the sum of \$21,245 04 be raised and appropriated as follows:

Miscellaneous expenses	\$1,600 00
Poor in Almshouse	2,000 00
Poor out of Almshouse	2,500 00
Soldiers' relief	150 00
Soldiers' relief, Randolph and Holbrook	200 00
Military aid	250 00
Town officers	2,200 00
Board of Health	200 00
Interest on Town debt	2,800 00
Lockup expense	150 00
Abatement of taxes .	300 00
Coddington note	1,600 00
Reduction of Town debt:	
North grammar school note	1,000 00
Wales Avenue note	500 00
No. 8 school note	300 00
Refunding note	1,500 00
New High School note	1,500 00
Overdraft of 1911	1,545 04
Spraying trees	500 00
Births, marriages, deaths and court fees	150 00
Insurance on Town property	300 00
	\$21,245 04

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Also that the interest on taxes and deposits during the year be appropriated towards the payment of interest on the Town debt and that \$1,600.00 of the amount herein appropriated be raised by the issuance of two notes of the Town of Randolph signed by the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen so that \$800.00 of the amount shall become due and payable in one year from the date of issue and \$800.00 shall become due and payable in two years from the date of issue.

Article 7. To raise and appropriate money for the repairs of highways and determine the manner of expending the same.

Voted that the sum of \$3,350.00 be raised and appropriated for the repairs of highways including paving and sidewalks and removal of snow and in addition thereto the Street Railway Tax and Excise Tax for the current year, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for lighting the streets by electricity.

Voted that the sum of \$3,800.00 be raised and appropriated for this purpose.

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Article 9. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate money for the watering of streets.

Voted that the sum of \$500.00 be raised and appropriated for the watering of streets.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to pay the insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1912-1913.

Voted that the Town pay for the expense of insurance on the Town Treasurer's bond for the year 1912-1913 and that the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to pay the insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1912-1913 and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the Town pay the expense of insurance on the Tax Collector's bond for the year 1912-1913 and that the sum of \$40.00 be raised and appropriated therefor.

Article 12. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the decoration of soldiers' graves under the direction of Capt. Horace Niles Post 110, G. A. R.

Voted that the sum of \$150.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose.

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Article 13. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the Fire Department and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that the Fire Department year be changed to run from January 1 to December 31 of each year, and that the sum of \$849.00 be raised and appropriated to cover the unpaid expenses from May 1, 1911 to December 31, 1911 and \$2,751.00 be raised and appropriated to cover the expense from January 1, 1912 to December 31, 1912 as follows:

	May 1, 1911 to Dec. 31, 1911	Jan. 1, 1912 to Dec. 31, 1912
General expenses	\$344 00	\$1,150 00
Pay of 43 men at \$12.00	391 00	516 00
Pay of men, hour service		400 00
Engineer and fireman of steamer		35 00
Fire alarm including per- manent repairs		275 00
New hose		350 00
Repairs at Central station		25 00
Hauling apparatus	67 00	
Engineer's salary	47 00	
	\$849 00	\$2,751 00
Total		\$3,600 00

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Article 14. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and contribute to the Sinking Fund as required by law to meet the payment of the Randolph Water Loan.

Voted that the sum of \$2,500.00 be raised and contributed to the Sinking Fund to meet the payment of the Randolph Water Loan when due.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to make repairs on the Almshouse and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that the sum of \$325.00 be raised and appropriated for Almshouse repairs.

Article 16. To see what compensation the Town will allow for the collection of taxes.

Voted that three-fourths of one per cent. be allowed for the collection of taxes.

Article 17. To see what action the Town will take in relation to medical attendance on the poor and raise and appropriate money therefor.

It is recommended that the sum of \$250.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, said sum to be apportioned equally among the several physicians, and to be in full for the attendance upon all persons under the care of the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, whose set-

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lement and residence is in the Town of Randolph for one year from January 1, 1912. That is to say, each physician resident in the Town on the first of March, 1912, shall receive the sum of \$50.00 for his services provided he makes 34 visits during the year; after that time he shall receive no compensation for his services, but shall attend such of the Town's poor as shall call upon him for services; those physicians who make less than 34 visits, shall receive pay at the rate of \$1.50 for each of said visits.

Article 18. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to appoint a special officer or officers to enforce the laws, and raise and appropriate money for the payment of such officer.

It is recommended that the Town instruct the Selectmen to enforce the laws of the Commonwealth, and that the sum of \$700.00 be raised and appropriated for said purpose, and to appoint such officers as may be necessary therefor, and that the Selectmen be instructed to use all the power the law gives them to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors.

Article 19. To see what action the Town will take in relation to the payment of laborers employed by the town.

It is recommended that each person employed by the Town shall receive such sum of money as is equal to the value of his labor, and that the laborers residing in Town and the residents owning teams shall be employed in preference to any others.

Article 20. To see what action the Town will take for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth, as recommended by the State Forester, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

It is recommended that the sum of \$1,033.22 be raised and appropriated for the suppression of the Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth.

Article 21. To see if the Town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to charge interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after October 10, 1912.

It is recommended that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

Article 22. To see if the Town will authorize the Collector of Taxes to use the same means which a Town Treasurer may use when acting as Collector.

It is recommended that the Collector of Taxes be so authorized.

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Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

It is recommended that the sum of \$20.00 be raised and appropriated for the care of the clock in the spire of the First Congregational Church.

Article 24. To see what action the Town will take in relation to providing increased accommodations for the use of the Town officers in Stetson Hall building and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted that a Committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the matter and report at the next annual Town meeting.

The Moderator appointed as such Committee, Jeremiah J. Desmond, Daniel Driscoll, Charles H. Thayer.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to extend the electric lights on Allen Street from the residence of Adonirum A. Payne to Liberty Street as petitioned for by William T. Pellisier and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that three 25 candle power lights be installed and that the sum of \$40.50 be raised and appropriated for the maintenance thereof.

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Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to install a steam heating and sanitary plant in the Stetson Hall building and raise and appropriate money therefor as petitioned for by James D. Shendon and others.

Voted that the committee appointed under article 24 report at the same time upon the matter petitioned for under this article.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to place electric lights on Canton Street between Main Street and Irving Road so called, as petitioned for by William C. Franke and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that seven 25 candle power lights be installed and that the sum of \$94.50 be raised and appropriated for the maintenance thereof.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to place an additional street light on Howard Street as petitioned for by John A. Hoye and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that one 25 candle power electric light be placed on Howard Street and that the sum of \$13.50 be raised and appropriated for the maintenance thereof.

Article 29. To see what action the Town will take in refunding the Coddington note.

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Action under this article was considered in connection with article 6. .

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to lay a water main on Park Street as petitioned for by David T. McGaughy and others.

Voted that the Water Commissioners be so instructed and to pay the expense from their receipts.

Article 31. To see what action the Town will take in relation to repairs on the Turner Free Library building and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that the sum of \$250.00 be raised and appropriated to pay for the repairs on the Turner Free Library building the same to be expended under the direction of the Trustees of the Turner Free Library.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to accept the unexpended balance of two hundred dollars now in the hands of the Treasurer of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Committee as a perpetual trust fund and make a separate investment of said fund, the income to be expended from time to time in keeping clean the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument in front of Stetson Hall.

Voted that the Town accept the trust according to the terms set forth in the Committee's declaration thereof and that the same be entered on the records of the Town and kept on file.

Instrument of Trust

Know All Men by These Presents, That we members of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Committee of Randolph, Mass., do hereby give unto the Treasurer of the Town of Randolph the sum of two hundred (\$200.) dollars for the following purposes namely:

To Have and To Hold the same for the Town's sole use forever but in trust nevertheless that the said Town shall under the direction of its Board of Selectmen appropriate, apply and expend the income thereof from time to time in keeping clean the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument on the lot in front of Stetson Hall erected and given to said Town on October 21, 1911 by said Committee, provided however that the said Town shall never be held responsible for their conduct in the premises except for good faith and reasonable diligence and provided further that the said Town shall be required to make a separate investment of the sum so given.

In Witness Whereof, we the said members of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Committee of Randolph, Mass., do hereunto set our hands and common seal this 30th day of March, 1912.

Executed in presence of JAMES FARDY
Herbert F. French for J. F., WILLIAM A. CROAK
D. P., E. M. M., R. I. J., EDWIN M. MANN
W. A. C. DAVID POPE,

James Fardy for H. F. F. RUFUS I. JONES
HERBERT F. FRENCH

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✓ The Treasurer of the Town of Randolph for and in behalf of the Town of Randolph hereby acknowledges the receipt of two hundred (\$200.) dollars from the members of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Committee in said Town the same to be held forever in trust by said Town of Randolph for the purpose of keeping clean the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument given to said Town on October 21, 1911, in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in the Instrument of Trust hereof of even date herewith as appears by the records of said Town.*

Dated at Randolph this 30th day of March, 1912.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Treasurer of the Town of Randolph.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to extend the sidewalk on the easterly side of Chestnut Street from its present terminus to Tower Hill as petitioned for by Albert D. Swan and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that the sum of \$150.00 be raised and appropriated to repair the present sidewalk on Chestnut Street and that any unexpended balance be used toward the extension petitioned for.

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Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to place two electric lights on Wales Avenue as petitioned for by George F. Taylor and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Voted that one 25 candle power light be installed and that the sum of \$13.50 be raised and appropriated for the maintenance thereof.

Article 38. The Committee appointed in 1911 as to the advisability of disposing of some of the land of the new High School, reported that the matter be dropped for the present.

Voted to accept the report.

Voted to pay the Moderator \$25.00 for his services.

Mr. French having expressed his thanks, stated that he would present it to the G. A. R. for the purchase of a picture.

Total Appropriations

Article	4	Support of Schools	\$15,330 00
	5	General Town expenses	21,245 04
	7	Highways	3,350 00
	8	Street Lighting	3,800 00
	9	Street Watering	500 00
	10	Treasurer's Bond	100 00

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11	Tax Collector's Bond	40 00
12	Decoration of Soldiers' Graves	150 00
13	Fire Department	3,600 00
14	Sinking Fund	2,500 00
15	Almshouse, special	325 00
17	Pay of Physicians	250 00
18	Special Police	700 00
20	Gypsy and Brown Tail Moths	1,033 22
23	Care of Clocks	20 00
25	Lights on Allen Street	40 50
27	Lights on Canton Street	94 50
28	Lights on Howard Street	13 50
31	Turner Free Library	250 00
33	Chestnut Street	150 00
34	Light on Wales Avenue	13 50
	State Tax	3,937 50
	State Highway Tax	95 00
	County Tax	1,754 14
		\$59,291 90

The ballots were sealed in open Town meeting.

At 8.50 it was voted to dissolve.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

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Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primary Elections, to meet in Stetson Hall, Tuesday the thirtieth day of April, 1912, at 5 o'clock p. m. for the following purposes.

To bring in their vote to the Primary officers for the election of candidates of political parties for the following officers.

8 Delegates at large to the National Convention.

8 Alternate delegates at large to National Convention.

2 District delegates to National Convention,

2 District alternate delegates to National convention.

And also to express their preference for candidates for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States.

All the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from 5 o'clock p. m. to 8 o'clock p. m.

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And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof Fail Not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this 17th day of April, A. D., 1912.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen of Randolph.

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, April 22, 1912.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned by posting ten copies of the warrant at ten public places, ten days before the hour and day named for holding said meeting.

JAMES W. McGERIGLE,
Constable.

Primary Election

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph assembled at Stetson Hall on Tuesday the 30th day of April, at 5 o'clock p. m.

The meeting was called to order by Jeremiah J. Desmond, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, who read the warrant and return and at 5 o'clock p. m. declared the polls open.

The following named persons served as election officers and were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Check list, Fred M. French.

Ballot clerks, M. E. Leahy, Thomas L. Stetson.

Officers at gates, M. F. Sullivan, John F. Gill.

Tellers, George A. Roel, John N. Shipman, Herman Shaw,
Frank H. Jaquith, Lawrence A. McGrath, Joseph J.
McMahon, E. F. Murphy, Daniel P. Lyons.

Polls declared closed at 8 o'clock p. m.

Whole number of ballots	273
Democratic	93
Republican	180

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Democratic

Delegates at large.

Group 1

Frank J. Donahue, pledged to preference of Democrats 56

Group 2

E. Gerry Brown, pledged to Eugene N. Foss for
President 36

Group 3

John W. Coughlan, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 47
John F. Fitzgerald, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 56
William P. Hayes, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 32
Charles J. Martell, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 31
Humphrey O'Sullivan, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 52
Charles B. Strecker, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 21
David I. Walsh, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 52

Group 4

Henry F. Burt, for Woodrow Wilson 13

Group 5

Henry T. Schaefer, for choice of Primary preference 23

Group 6

George Fred Williams, for choice of Primary preference 32

Group 7

John P. Sweeney 22

Group 8

James H. Vahey, pledged to Eugene N. Foss 42

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Group 9

John N. Kelleher, pledged to Eugene N. Foss	12
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Alternate delegates at large

Group 1

James M. Folan, for primary preference	41
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Group 2

Joseph J. Leonard, for primary preference	41
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Group 3

Andrew A. Badaracco, pledged to Eugene N. Foss	38
Charles F. Campbell, pledged to Eugene N. Foss	44
Peter J. Flaherty	52
James M. Folan	43
Daniel H. Maguire	53
Luke J. Minahan	38
Daniel M. O'Brien	51
Joseph F. O'Connell	52

Group 4

John P. Kane	19
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Delegates Twelfth District

Daniel J. Daley	73
Richard Olney, 2d	69

Alternate District delegates

Harold Williams	48
James S. Cameron	48

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For President of the United States

Champ Clark of Missouri	62
Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey	21

For Vice-President of the United States

John F. Fitzgerald	7
Eugene N. Foss	10

Republican

Delegates at large

Group 1

Charles S. Baxter, for Theodore Roosevelt	89
George M. Coleman	90
Frederick Fosdick	90
Albert Bushnel Hart	90
Octave A. L. Riviere	89
James P. Magenis	88
Arthur L. Nason	89
Alvin G. Weeks	87

Group 2

Frank Seiberlich, pledged to William Howard Taft

Group 3

Winthrop Murray Crane	69
John L. Bates	67
Lucius Tuttle	68
John W. Weeks	67
Samuel B. Capen	66

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Samuel J. Elder	"	66
James F. Cavanagh	"	66
Edmond Cote	"	64

Alternate Delegates at large

Group 1

John D. Long, pledged to William Howard Taft		82
Benjamin H. Anthony	"	80
Frank Vogel	"	81
Joseph Monette	"	79
Charles H. Inness	"	81
Walter Ballantyne	"	79
Isaac L. Roberts	"	80
Ernest G. Adams	"	80

Group 2

Charles L. Burrell, for Theordore Roosevelt		86
Thomas F. Doherty	"	86
Richard D. Flynn	"	85
John Larrabee	"	85
John G. Maxfield	"	85
Max Mitchell	"	86
Cassius A. Ward	"	85
Russell A. Wood	"	85

District Delegates Twelfth District

Group 1

J. Stearns Cushing, pledged to William Howard Taft		84
George L. Barnes	"	84

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Group 2

Frank A. Morrill, pledged to Theodore Roosevelt	83
James W. French	83

Alternate District Delegates

Group 1

Louis E. Flye, pledged to William Howard Taft	73
Wendell Williams	71

Group 2

C. Edson Abbott, pledged to Theodore Roosevelt	79
Franklin T. Miller	78

For President of the United States

Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin	1
Theodore Roosevelt of New York	87
William Howard Taft of Ohio	87

For Vice President of the United States

Scattering	17
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The ballots used were sealed in open meeting; returns made to Secretary of State and at 11.30 p. m. the meeting was dissolved.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk.

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TOWN MEETING WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble in Stetson hall in said Town of Randolph on Monday the twenty-ninth day of July at 8 o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to accept as a town way the street as laid out by the selectmen, running westerly from North street and known as Maitland Avenue, which laying out with the boundaries and measurements of the way is filed in the office of the Town Clerk and raise and appropriate money for the construction of the same.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to instruct the water commissioners to extend the water main from North street to the westerly end of Maitland avenue as petitioned for by I. W. Hayden and others and to raise and appropriate money for the same.

Article 3. To see if the town will authorize and instruct the selectmen to execute and deliver to the present

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owner or owners of the "Almshouse Lot," so-called, situated on the southwesterly side of South street proper deeds or other instruments of release transferring and releasing to the said owner or owners any interest which the Town of Randolph had or may have in said lot.

Said deeds or instruments of release being in confirmation of former deeds and instruments given by a former Board of Selectmen and you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not but make due return of warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph the twenty-second day of July A. D., one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,
CHARLES H. THAYER,

Selectmen.

Norfolk, SS.

Randolph, July 29, 1912.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place described by posting attested copies of the

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warrant at ten or more public places seven days before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

JAMES W. McGERIGLE,

Constable.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson hall on Monday the twenty-ninth day of July, 1912, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Meeting called to order and warrant read by the Town Clerk in the absence of the Moderator, Fred M. French. It was voted that we proceed to the election of a moderator pro tem.

Voted by unanimous consent that the Town Clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Daniel J. Brennan for moderator pro tem. The clerk having cast one ballot for Daniel J. Brennan for moderator pro tem, he was declared elected and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to accept the street to be known as Maitland avenue from North street as laid out by the selectmen.

Article 2. Voted that the water commissioners be and hereby are authorized and directed to extend the water main from North street through Maitland avenue, a dis-

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tance of six hundred feet on said avenue, and that the expense thereof be defrayed by the issuance of of a note for six hundred dollars, signed by the Treasurer and approved by a majority of the Selectmen and Water Commissioners and be payable within five years from the date of issue. Said note is under and by serial act of the legislature of 1909.

Article 3. Voted that the town authorize, instruct and empower the selectmen to execute and deliver to the present owner or owners of the Almshouse Lot so called situated on the southwesterly side of South street proper deeds or other instruments of release transferring and releasing to the said owner or owners any interest which the town of Randolph had or may have had in said lot said deeds or instruments of release being in conformation of former deeds and instruments of release given by a former Board of Selectmen in so far as the town may have power so to do.

Voted to adjourn.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

PRIMARY ELECTION WARRANT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in primaries to meet in Stetson hall on Tuesday, the twenty-fourth day of September, 1912, at 5 o'clock p. m. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to this primary, officers for the nomination of candidates of political parties for the following officers: Governor, Lieut. Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver-General, Auditor, Attorney General, Representative in Congress 14th Congressional District, Councillor, Second District, Senator First Norfolk District, Representative in General Court, Ninth Norfolk District, County Commissioner Norfolk County, County Treasurer Norfolk County, County Commissioner to fill vacancy Norfolk County, and for the election of the following officers: Member of the State Committee for the First Senatorial Norfolk District, Member of Town Committee for the Town, Delegates to State Conventions of Political Parties. All of the above candidates and officers are to be voted for upon one ballot.

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The polls will be open from 5 P. M. to 8 P. M.

And you are directed to serve the warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town..

Hereof fail not but make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of holding said meeting. Given under our hands this fourteenth day of September, A. D., 1912.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,
Selectmen of Randolph.

Norfolk, SS.

Randolph, September 23, 1912.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the town of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place herein mentioned by posting attested copies of the warrant at ten public places ten days before the day and hour named for holding said meeting.

JAMES W. McGERIGLE,
Constable.

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PRIMARY ELECTION.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the Voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday the twenty-fourth day September A. D., 1912 at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Meeting called to order and warrant and return read by Jeremiah J. Desmond, chairman of the Board of Selectmen and promptly at five o'clock the polls were declared open for the reception of Ballots.

The following persons served as election officers.
Check list, Fred M. French; Ballot clerks, M. E. Leahy, Thomas L. Stetson; officers at gate, Dennis F. Mahoney, John F. Gill; tellers, Jos. J. McMahon, Frank H. Jaquith, Herman Shaw, Edward F. Murphy.

Sworn by the Town Clerk.

Whole number of Ballots	303
Democratic	243
Republican	56
Socialist	4

Democratic.

FOR GOVERNOR.

Eugene N. Foss	149
Joseph C. Pelletier	84
Blanks	10

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FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR.

Edward P. Barry	39
David I. Walsh	188
Blanks	16

FOR SECRETARY.

Frank J. Donahue	192
Blanks	51

FOR TREASURER.

Joseph L. P. St. Coeur	174
Blanks	69

FOR AUDITOR.

James F. Carens	164
Blanks	79

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

George W. Anderson	163
Blanks	80

FOR CONGRESSMAN 14TH DISTRICT.

Edward Gilmore	83
Richard Olney, 2d	157
Blanks	13

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FOR COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT.

Henry J. Dixon	54
John P. Rattigan	125
Blanks	64

FOR SENATOR, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Philip J. Coveney	103
John J. McDevitt	104
Blanks	36

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Jeremiah O'Leary	211
Blanks	32

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Thomas D. Mullen	14
Blanks	229

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Blanks	243
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER TO FILL VACANCY.

Thomas D. Mullen	1
Blanks	242

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FOR STATE COMMITTEE, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

John A. Kiggen	122
Blanks	121

FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

Edward Long	156
James E. Foley	157
Charles H. Proctor	1
Frank Condon	1
Blanks	171

FOR TOWN COMMITTEE.

Bernard Moore	147
Edward Long	152
James Lynch	150
James E. Foley	157
Michael E. Clark	149
Robert E. O'Brien	158
John P. Rooney	157
Blanks	641

Republican.

FOR GOVERNOR.

Everett C. Benton	22
Joseph Walker	33
Eugene N. Foss	1

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FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR.

Robert Luce	51
David I. Walsh	1
Blanks	4

FOR SECRETARY.

Albert P. Langtry	53
Blanks	3

FOR TREASURER.

Elmer A. Stevens	52
Blanks	4

FOR AUDITOR.

John E. White	53
Blanks	3

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

James M. Swift	52
Blanks	4

FOR CONGRESSMAN 14TH DISTRICT.

Robert O. Harris	48
Richard Olney, 2d	1
Blanks	7

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT.

Herbert W. Burr	16
Guy Andrews Ham	34
Blanks	6

FOR SENATOR, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Robert B. Campbell	5
Louis F. R. Langelier	15
Roger Wolcott	31
John J. McDevitt	1
Blanks	4

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

George W. Pratt	48
Blanks	8

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Fred L. Fisher	15
Evan F. Richardson	34
Blanks	7

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Henry D. Humphrey	48
Blanks	8

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER TO FILL VACANCY.

Everett M. Bowker	24
William Craig	23
Blanks	9

FOR STATE COMMITTEE, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

George L. Barnes	51
Blanks	5

FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

Winthrop B. Atherton	48
Edwin M. Mann	48
Blanks	16

FOR TOWN COMMITTEE.

George H. Eddy	42
Walter L. Hickey	42
Ezra Lawrence Payne	38
Thomas L. Stetson	41
Seth D. Bradley	40
Herbert F. Langley	42
John E. Bradley	40
Blanks	108

SOCIALIST.

FOR GOVERNOR.

Roland B. Sawyer	4
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TOWN OF RANDOLPH

FOR LIEUT. GOVERNOR.

Robert B. Martin 4

FOR SECRETARY.

Ellen Hayes 4

FOR TREASURER.

Louis F. Weiss 4

FOR AUDITOR

Sylvester J. McBride 4

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

George E. Rower, Jr. 4

FOR CONGRESSMAN, 14TH DISTRICT.

John McCarthy 4

FOR COUNCILLOR, SECOND DISTRICT.

Howard Burke 3

Blanks 1

FOR SENATOR, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

William Litchfield 3

Blanks 1

FOR REPRESENTATIVE, NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

George A. Nevins 4

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Albert Hess	4
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FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

Alex E. Wright	4
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER TO FILL VACANCY.

John R. Luddington	1
Blanks	3

FOR STATE COMMITTEE, FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT

John A. L. Ross	4
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FOR DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

Otis S. Vaughn	1
Blanks	3

FOR TOWN COMMITTEE.

Otis S. Vaughn	4
John R. Luddington	4
Albert Hess	4
Result announced 12.45 A. M.	

Meeting dissolved at 1.40 A. M. A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Town Meeting Warrant

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Norfolk, S.S.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in town affairs to assemble in Stetson hall in said town on Tuesday the twenty-second day of October, at 7.30 o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Water Commissioners to extend the water main from its present terminus on South street to Centre street and thence southerly in Centre street to Druid Hill avenue as petitioned for by Henry F. Powderly and others and raise and appropriate money for the same.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said Town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, but make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk before the time for holding said meeting.

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Given under our hands at Randolph this fourteenth day of October, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,
Selectmen of Randolph.

Norfolk, ss. Randolph, Mass., October 21, 1912.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned by posting attested copies of the warrant at ten or more public places ten days before the day and hour for holding said meeting.

JAMES W. McGERIGLE,
Constable.

Town Meeting

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday evening October 22, 1912 at 7.30 o'clock.

Meeting called to order by Fred M. French, Moderator, warrant and return read by the Town Clerk after which action was taken as follows:

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Article 1. Voted by a two thirds majority that the water commissions be and they hereby are authorized and instructed to extend the water main from its present terminal on South street to the intersection of South street and Centre street and thence westerly on said Centre street to Druid[^]Hill avenue, and to defray the expense thereof that the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Water Commissioners, be and is hereby authorized to borrow money therefor and to issue notes or bonds of the Town by the serial method (so called) said notes or bonds under said issue not to exceed the sum of four thousand (\$4,000.) dollars and in all respects to conform to the requirement of Chapter 487 of the Legislative Acts of 1909 entitled "An Act to Authorize the Town of Randolph to Make an Additional Water Loan."

Voted that when this meeting adjourned it be to Monday evening, November 4, 1912, at 7.30 o'clock p. m.

Voted to adjourn.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

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Adjourned Town Meeting

November 4, 1912.

The special Town Meeting adjourned from October 22, 1912, met this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Meeting called to order by the Town Clerk in the absence of the Moderator it was voted to adjourn to Friday November 8, 1912, at 7.30 o'clock p. m.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk.

Adjourned Town Meeting

Randolph, Nov. 8, 1912.

The special Town Meeting adjourned from October 22, 1912, was called to order this evening at 7.30 o'clock by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

In the absence of the Town Clerk, Joseph T. Leahy was elected Town Clerk, pro tem, and was sworn by the Moderator, Fred M. French.

Voted to reconsider the vote passed on October 22, 1912.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

Voted unanimously that the Water Commissioners be and they hereby are instructed to extend the Water Main from its present terminus on South street to the intersection of South street and Centre street and thence along Centre street to Druid Hill avenue at an expense to the Town not to exceed \$4,000.00 and to defray the cost thereof the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Water Commissioners be and he hereby is authorized for the purposes and in the manner described in Chapter 487 of the Acts of 1909, to borrow an amount not exceeding \$4,000.00 and in accordance with the provisions of said Statute to issue the bonds, notes or scrip of the Town therefor payable at such time and in such annual proportionate payments beginning not more than five years after the thirty-first day of December 1909, the date of the first issue of bonds, notes or scrip under the provisions of Chapter 487 of the Acts of 1909 as will extinguish the loan authorized hereunder within 30 years from the dates of issue of said bonds, notes or scrip all of which shall be approved, signed and countersigned as provided by law.

Voted to dissolve

JOSEPH T. LEAHY,
Town Clerk, pro tem.

Warrant for State Election

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Randolph,
Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Randolph qualified to vote in State elections, to assemble in Stetson Hall on Tuesday, the fifth day of November next at 5.45 o'clock in the forenoon then and there to give in to the Selectmen on ballot their votes for Presidential electors, Governor, Lieut. Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Congressman 14th district, Councillor 2nd district Senator first Norfolk district, Representative in the General Court for the ninth Norfolk district, County Commissioner (3 year term), County Commissioner to fill vacancy for unexpired term of one year and County Treasurer, also on the same ballot for "An amendment to the Constitution disqualifying from voting persons convicted of certain offenses as provided for by Chapter 21, Resolves of 1912."

"An amendment to the Constitution relative to the taxation of wild and forest lands as provided for by Chapter 115, Resolves of 1912."

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An amendment to the Constitution being an act relative to the pensioning of laborers in cities and towns.

The polls for the reception of ballots aforesaid will be opened at 5.45 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 2 o'clock p. m. and such longer time as the voters may determine.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at five or more public places in said town seven days at least before the day and hour of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Selectmen on or before the day and hour appointed for said meeting.

Given under our hands at Randolph this twenty-eighth day of October, A. D. 1912.

JEREMIAH J. DESMOND,
CHARLES H. THAYER,
DANIEL DRISCOLL,

Norfolk, ss.

Randolph, October 29, 1912.

Persuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of Randolph herein described to assemble at the time and place mentioned by posting attested copies of the warrant at ten public places seven days before the hour and day named for holding said meeting.

JAMES W. McGERIGLE,

Constable.

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State Election

Randolph, November 5, 1912.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters of Randolph assembled in Stetson Hall on Tuesday the fifth day of November, 1912.

Meeting called to order and warrant and return read by the Town Clerk.

The following election officers appointed by the Selectmen, were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Check list, Fred M. French.

Ballot clerks, Michael E. Leahy, Thomas L. Stetson.

Deputy ballot clerks, Daniel P. Lyons, Herman Shaw,

Officers at gates, Dennis F. Mahoney, William F. Rooney.

Officer outside hall, John F. Gill.

Tellers, Frank H. Jaquith, John N. Shipman, M. Frank Pélisier, J. B. Clark, Frank H. Tileston, Charles W. Proctor, Joseph J. McMahon, William F. Barrett.

And promptly at 5.45 a. m. the polls were declared open for the reception of ballots.

Ballot box opened at 8.15 a. m.

No. of ballots	430
Ballot box register	427

At 2 o'clock p. m. the polls were declared closed.

Whole number of ballots	828
Ballot box register	831

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

For Electors of President and Vice President

Chafin and Watkins, Prohibition

At large	John M. Fisher of Attleboro	1
	Edward Kimball of Cambridge	1

District	1	Thomas A. Frissell of Hinsdale	1
	2	Oliver W. Cobb of Easthampton	1
	3	Henry S. Cowell of Easthampton	1
	4	John Holt of Worcester	1
	5	John B. Lewis of Reading	1
	6	Willard O. Wylie of Beverly	1
	7	Charles E. McColley of Lawrence	1
	8	Alfred A. Wright of Cambridge	1
	9	Henry C. Russell of Malden	1
	10	Aaron L. Woodruff of Boston	1
	11	John Morgan of Boston	1
	12	Solon W. Bingham of Boston	1
	13	John A. Nichols of Boston	1
	14	Albert J. Orem of Sharon	1
	15	David Morrison of Fall River	1
	16	Edwin S. Spaulding of Plymouth	1

Debs and Seidel, Socialist

At large	Fred Tepper of Lawrence	20
	Daniel A. White of Brockton	20
District	1 Wilfred Griffin of Pittsfield	20
	2 Charles C. Hitchcock of Ware	20
	3 Robert Lawrence of Clinton	20

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4	Charles E. Turner of Worcester	20
5	William J. Carroll of Lowell	20
6	James F. Carey of Haverhill	20
7	Ambrose Miles of Lynn	20
8	John Tufenthial, Jr. of Cambridge	20
9	John D. Williams of Malden	20
10	Fred B. Chase of Boston	20
11	George Roewer, Sr. of Boston	20
12	Samuel P. Levenberg of Boston	20
13	Adam Langill of Waltham	20
14	Zoel Thebadean of Brockton	20
15	John W. Sawyer of Taunton	20
16	Arthur N. Harriman of New Bedford	20

Reimer and Gillhaus, Socialist Labor

At large	Robert Bateson of Fall River	0
	Moretz E. Ruther of Holyoke	0
District	1 Herman Keopke of Pittsfield	0
	2 Frederick A. Nagler of Springfield	0
	3 John A. Anderson of Gardner	0
	4 Joseph Jiskra of Milford	0
	5 Lois P. Nelson of Cambridge	0
	6 Thomas F. Brennan of Salem	0
	7 Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody	0
	8 Peter O. Rourke of Medford	0
	9 Ernest J. Gabarino of Malden	0
	10 Charles J. Svenson of Boston	0

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	11	Henry C. Hess of Boston	0
	12	Ferdinand Houlttenbrink, Jr. of Boston	0
	13	Joseph P. Foley of Walpole	0
	14	Patrick H. Loftus of Abington	0
	15	George R. Rigby of Fall River	0
	16	James W. Holden of New Bedford	0
		Roosevelt and Johnson, Progressive Party	
At large		James P. Magenis of Boston	227
		Cassius A. Ward of Boston	227
District	1	Cornelius C. Cook of Pittsfield	227
	2	J. Frank Drake of Springfield	227
	3	Frederick Fosdick of Fitchburg	227
	4	Frank J. Quist of Worcester	227
	5	Lewis D. Apsley of Hudson	227
	6	Wilson B. Clark of Beverly	227
	7	Lyman M. Ranger of Lynn	227
	8	Lawrence G. Brooks of Cambridge	227
	9	Eugene H. Cox of Malden	227
	10	Jerome A. Petetti of Boston	227
	11	Arthur D. Hill of Boston	227
	12	Elihu D. Stone of Boston	227
	13	Norman Marshall of Newton	227
	14	Charles S. Millet of Brockton	227
	15	Robert A. Dean of Fall River	227
	16	Frank E. Ramsdell of New Bedford	227
		Taft and Sherman, Republican	
At large		Rufus D. Adams of Salem	153
		David F. Dillon of Palmer	153

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District	1	William A. Burns of Pittsfield	153
	2	Walter S. Robinson of Springfield	153
	3	George R. Wallace of Fitchburg	153
	4	James Logan of Worcester	153
	5	Harry G. Pollard of Lowell	153
	6	Alfred E. Lyons of Haverhill	153
	7	C. Neil Barney of Lynn	153
	8	Everett C. Benton of Belmont	153
	9	Frank M. Sawtell of Malden	153
	10	James W. H. Myrick of Boston	153
	11	Frank Vogel of Boston	153
	12	Moses S. Lourie of Boston	153
	13	J. Henry Gleeson of Marlboro	153
	14	Horace A. Keith of Brockton	153
	15	Alfred B. Williams of Taunton	153
	16	Joseph Walsh of Falmouth	153

Wilson and Marshall, Democratic

At large	John W. Cummings of Fall River	382
	William A. Gaston of Boston	382

District	1	Daniel F. Doherty of Westfield	382
	2	Edward H. Lothrop of Springfield	382
	3	Frank H. Pope of Leominster	382
	4	John F. Meaney of Blackstone	382
	5	J. Joseph O'Connor of Lowell	382
	6	Charles A. Russell of Gloucester	382
	7	Walter H. Creamer of Lynn	382
	8	James E. Dwyer of Wakefield	382
	9	James H. Malone of Chelsea	382

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10	John J. Mahoney of Boston	382
11	Joseph H. O'Neil of Boston	382
12	James F. Powers of Boston	382
13	Charles B. Strecker of Brookline	382
14	Albion C. Drinkwater of Braintree	382
15	Thomas F. Higgins of Fall River	382
16	George M. Harlow of Plymouth	382

For Governor

Charles S. Bird of Walpole	232
Eugene N. Foss of Boston	419
Patrick Mulligan of Boston	2
Frank N. Rand of Haverhill	2
Roland D. Sawyer of Ware	17
Joseph Walker of Brookline	117
Blanks	39

For Lieut. Governor

Daniel Cosgrove of Lowell	164
Alfred H. Evans of Northampton	2
Robert Luce of Somerville	154
Robert B. Martin of Boston	19
Denis McGoff of New Bedford	1
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg	430
Blanks	58

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For Secretary

Frank J. Donahue of Boston	400
Ellen Hayes of Wellesley	19
Albert P. Langtry of Springfield	163
Karl Lundstrand of Lynn	4
William W. Nash of Westboro	2
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge	155
Blanks	85

For Treasurer

Charles A. Chase of Swansea	5
David Craig of Milford	8
Eldon B. Keith of Brockton	172
Joseph L. P. StCouer of Cambridge	386
Elmer A. Stevens of Somerville	151
Louis F. Weiss of Worcester	18
Blanks	88

For Auditor

James F. Carens of Newburyport	390
Herbert B. Griffin of Boston	5
Octave A. LaRiviere of Salem	149
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown	20
Jeremiah P. McNally of Salem	3
John E. White of Tisbury	155
Blanks	106

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For Attorney General

George W. Anderson of Boston	392
Frank Bombast of Boston	2
Freeman T. Crommett of Chelsea	2
H. Heustes Newton of Everett	153
George E. Roewer, Jr. of Boston	18
James M. Swift of Fall River	156
Blanks	105

For Congressman, 14th District

Edward Gilmore of Brockton	424
Robert O. Harris of East Bridgewater	158
Henry L. Kincaide of Quincy	167
John McCarthy of Abington	26
Blanks	53

For Councillor, Second District

Howard B. Burke of Weymouth	39
Guy Andrews Ham of Boston	234
John P. Rattigan of Boston	396
Blank	159

For Senator, First Norfolk District

William Litchfield of Weymouth	23
John J. McDevitt of Quincy	427
Roger Wolcott of Milton	166
Lester P. Winchenbaugh of Boston	144
Blanks	68

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For Representative Ninth Norfolk District

George A. Nevins of Stoughton	19
Jeremiah O'Leary of Sharon	428
George W. Pratt of Stoughton	188
Ezra W. Reid of Sharon	137
Blanks	56

County Commissioner

Albert Hess of Randolph	45
Thomas D. Mullin of Canton	361
Evan F. Richardson of Millis	148
Elisha Nye Thayer of Braintree	158
Blanks	116

County Commissioner to Fill Vacancy

Everett M. Bowker of Brookline	173
Charles M. Donohue of Needham	345
David Smith of Wellesley	23
Edward Hutchins Whitney of Dedham	155
Blanks	132

For County Treasurer

Henry D. Humphrey of Dedham	217
Herbert McIntosh of Sharon	240
Alex E. Wright of Wellesley	32
Blanks	339

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

“Shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution disqualifying from voting persons convicted of certain offences be approved and ratified.”

Yes	306
No	149
Blank	373

“Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and twelve entitled ‘An Act relative to pensioning laborers in the employ of cities and towns’ be accepted.”

Yes	379
No	151
Blank	298

“Shall the proposed amendment to the Constitution relative to the taxation of Wild or Forest Lands be approved and ratified.”

Yes	326
No	88
Blanks	414

Declaration of the vote announced at 5.45 p. m.

Meeting dissolved at 9.45 p. m.

The ballots used and unused were sealed in open meeting and returns made to the Secretary of the Commonwealth and Clerk of Courts.

A true record.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,
Town Clerk.

Meeting of Town Clerks

Stoughton, Nov. 15, 1912.

We the undersigned Town Clerks of Stoughton, Randolph and Sharon comprising Representative district number nine in the County of Norfolk, hereby certify that at an election duly held at the respective towns aforesaid on the fifth day of November, 1912, to vote for one Representative, the following votes were given:

	R.	St.	S.	Total
George A. Nevins of Stoughton	19	49	5	73
Jeremiah O'Leary of Sharon	428	405	178	1,011
George W. Pratt of Stoughton	188	530	149	867
Ezra W. Reed of Sharon	137	180	101	418
Blanks	56	54	18	128
	828	1,218	451	2,497

And Jeremiah O'Leary was declared elected and certificates signed to that effect.

GEORGE O. WENTWORTH,

Town Clerk of Stoughton.

GEORGE H. WHITEMORE,

Town Clerk of Sharon.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk of Randolph.

TOWN OF RANDOLPH

TABLE OF VITAL STATISTICS

The number of intentions of Marriages, Births and Deaths recorded during the year 1912, was as follows:

Intentions				
Months	of marriage	Marriages	Births	Deaths
January	2	1	10	6
February		3	3	8
March	1		5	9
April	6	5	11	7
May	1	3	7	5
June	6	7	6	3
July	2	2	7	4
August	2		12	7
September	7	6	6	6
October	3	7	8	13
November	2	1	5	7
December	2	3	7	7
Totals	34	38	87	82
Whole number of births recorded				87
Males			43	
Females			44	
Whole number of deaths recorded				82
Males			38	
Females			44	
Under five years of age			15	
Between 5 and 10 years			0	
10 and 20 years			2	
20 and 30 years			1	
30 and 40 years			5	
40 and 50 years			5	
50 and 60 years			8	
60 and 70 years			23	
70 and 80 years			16	
80 and 90 years			5	
90 and 100 years			2	
Whole number of intentions of marriages				34
Whole number of marriages				38
Couples both native born				33
Couples one foreign and one native				3
Couples both foreign				2

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Marriages

RECORDED IN RANDOLPH, 1912

Date		Names	Residence	Age
1911				
Nov.	2	William F. Moynihan	Brockton	27
		Margaret F. Shepard	Randolph	22
1912				
Feb.	1	Edwin S. Harvey	Randolph	34
		Louise Viola Payne	Randolph	24
	5	Henry H. Rice	Milton	21
		Catherine Maud Vaughn	Randolph	24
	5	William H. Miller	Williamsburg	27
		Julia Irene Dunn	Randolph	21
April	3	Arthur F. Burrill	Randolph	21
		Ruth H. Kent	Randolph	17
	10	Ralph James Code	Randolph	21
		Margaret T. McCabe	Randolph	22
	24	Hubert H. Linfield	Randolph	24
		Mae Helen Doucette	Avon	21
	29	William Francis Rudderham	Randolph	23
		Amber Rebecca Small (Ellis)	Brockton	22
	29	Richard J. Irving	Randolph	49
		Ellen Mary Sackson (Schultz)	Randolph	37
May	6	Isaac Roel Mann	Randolph	34
		Eilzabeth Madeline Vye	Randolph	21
June	4	Lee H. Porter	Randolph	32
		Lena Grace Langley	Brockton	22
May	31	Peter F. Kenney	Marlboro	21
		Grace Isabella Dee	Randolph	20
	19	Alonzo E. Madon	Stoughton	28
		Elizabeth E. Rodenhizer	Stoughton	25
June	6	Guiseppe Chinchiole	Boston	42
		Emma Kressler (Preßier)	Randolph	42
	12	James J. Shea	Randolph	33
		Millie A. Sager	Randolph	21

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MARRIAGES—Continued

Date	Names	Residence	Age
	Charles E. Frizell	Dorchester	25
	Lillian H. Wagner	Randolph	23
	Thomas F. Boyle	Randolph	35
	Mary F. Barry	Randolph	28
20	Arthur E. Conrad	Brockton	24
	Ruth E. Drysdale	Randolph	22
25	Stephen J. Hart	Randolph	29
	Frances L. Hurley	Randolph	27
July	3 Charles Edward Allen	Randolph	38
	Caroline J. Keenan (Schultz)	Randolph	35
15	Frederick Dianto	Randolph	24
	Ruth Marie Rudderham	Randolph	19
Sept.	1 Marcus Sidney Somes	Quincy	51
	Annie Elizabeth Widden	Randolph	43
	(Macauley)		
	9 Florence J. Sullivan	Randolph	24
	Magaret A. Kane	Randolph	24
11	Herbert A. McIntyre	Randolph	27
	Elizabeth Davis	Randolph	25
14	Harold W. Wilbur	Randolph	21
	Gertrude Davenport	Brockton	18
20	Alfonso E. Judkins	Abington	53
	Corinna L. Loud	Abington	33
25	Francis Edward Dolan	Randolph	28
	Louise A. Fay	Brockton	22
Oct.	2 William Henry Mahoney	Randolph	28
	Anna Mary Ward	Abington	25
	3 Patrick Joseph Hart	Randolph	27
	Mary E. V. Kline	Cambridge	27
	1 Leo P. Gaynor	Randolph	23
	Rose Ellen Kane	Brockton	24
16	Leslie Verns Simmons	Randolph	30
	Margaret Alice Keefe	Brockton	31
24	William Linwood Madan	Randolph	22

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MARRIAGES—Concluded

Date		Names	Residence	Age
		Florence M. Jones (Nottage)	Holbrook	20
	30	William R. Taylor	Boston	33
		Jennie L. Wright	Randolph	27
Nov.	17	James O'Reilly	Randolph	68
		Winifred Josephine Branley	Holbrook	48
Oct.	16	Patrick J. Flynn	Stoughton	30
		Margaret R. Sullivan	Randolph	25
Dec.	16	Peter E. Moore	Randolph	66
		Hattie B. Scott (Hewett)	Randolph	47
	23	Walter G. Foye	Randolph	53
		Fannie J. Thayer (Jones)	Randolph	51
	28	Carl William Bolin	Randolph	25
		Gladys Lourine Wade	Avon	21

Births Registered in Randolph, 1912

Date		Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
Jan.	4	George Everett Sawyer	M	George F. and Flora M.—Holbrook
	10	Kenneth Frederick Shoemaker	M	Oscar F. and Marion I.—Martin
	13	Henry Wales Merrill	M	Carl B. and Mildred L.—Wales
	18	Charles Herbert Jennings	M	Charles H. and Grace O.—Holmes
	19	Mildred Margaret Ryan	F	William T. and Hattie M.—Rand
	22	Georgianna Forti	F	Leonardi and Eva—Capobianci
	26	Roland George Elliot	M	George A. and Sybil A.—Decosta
	30	Mary Margaret Duffy	F	James and Mary T.—Howard
	31	Henrietta Waters Brown	Twins	Carl S. and Susie—Waters
	31	Edna May Brown		Carl S. and Susie—Waters
Feb.	21	Abbie Louise Grover	F	D. Lawrence and Eva J.—Libby
	23	Elizabeth Lyons	F	Timothy F. and Elizabeth G.—Lyons
	27	Frank C. Poole	M	Wesley C. and Elizabeth—Brady
March	6	Dorothy Dolan	F	Charles J. and Dora A.—Daly
	23	—Bustard	Twins	William and Frances L.—Cunningham
	23	—Bustard		William and Frances L.—Cunningham
	26	Robert John Tweed	M	Gordon R. and Ethel L.—Finley
	29	—McNeill	F	John B. and Mary E.—McGaughey
April	4	Elanor Beal	F	Samuel G. and Emma L.—Peterson
	6	—Cain	M	Farrell H. and Margaret T.—Kane
	9	Marcelle Hemel	F	Eugene J. and Marie L.—Freckette

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9	Albert V. Mann	M	Benjamin and Catherine—Brady
12	—Daly	M	Jeremiah J. and Rose F.—Quinn
13	Albert Myrick Powers	M	Bernard A. and Harriett M.—Chandler
16	Mary Margaret Heney	F	James G. and Emma C.—Thacher
16	John Joseph Shea	M	John J. and Margaret R.—McGaughey
27	Agnes Mary Finnegan	F	Thomas R. and Catharine—McCafferty
28	Philip Otis Evans	M	Fred O. and Lillian—Farrar
30	Annie Mary Espisota	F	Generasimo and Philomene—Abba- genso
May	Charles McDonald	M	William and Minnie—Pollock
12	Atwood Sherwood Sloan	M	Walter H. and Ella E.—Holbrook
14	William O'Hearn	M	Patrick and Mary—Lavender
17	Robert J. Bradley	M	Henry J. and Alice F.—Sullivan
25	George Howard Holbrook	M	A. Howard and Cora W.—Wheeler
25	Mary Slattery	F	James and Ellen—Moran
28	Stillborn		
June	Arthur Francis Locke	M	Ernest M. and Mary A.—Tobin
2	Marion Christine Wilbur	F	Herbert C. and Annie F.—Frier
14	John Boyle	M	Louis H. and Ellen A.—McGerigle
15	Mary Elizabeth O'Connell	F	Daniel and Elizabeth J. McDougall
25	Catherine Ahern	F	Robert E. and Maude A.—Conley
30	Edward Dupras	M	John J. and Gertrude—Warburton
July	John Lynch	M	Edward J. and Julia J.—Foley
8	Helen Elizabeth McDonald	F	Martin A. and Catharine G.—Meany
10	—Gammon	F	Fred B. and Della E.—McCormac
14	Stillborn		
17			

BIRTHS—Concluded

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Parents
17	———Teed	M	Frank F. and Annie E.—Mann
18	Eugene Linden Hamilton	M	Benjamin and Eva A.—Thompson
24	Phillis Ackley Wales	F	Joseph D. and Ella Ardella—Crownson
Aug. 4	Loring Dilbert Hewins	M	Benjamin L. and Villena M.—Bryant
4	Norman Henry Mann	M	Henry J. and Margaret—Ritchie
5	Catherine Rice	F	Henry H. and Maude—Vaughn
5	Dorothy Frances Dickey	F	Charles C. and Margaret T.—McCarthy
7	Floyd Allen Hallgren	M	Gust and Matilda—Sonder
16	Richard George Rideout	M	Abraham and Annie—Flemming
19	Carrol Lewis Paine	M	Chester L. and Ida L.—Carroll
20	Henry Leroy Harvey	M	Henry Leroy and Cosie Rebecca—Grainger
22	Elinor Rice Richard	F	Frank J. and Angelina—Puopolo
24	Stillborn		
28			
Sept. 29	Louise Estella Payne	F	Clarence H. and Florance E.—Blaney
3	Catherine M. Hurley	F	James J. and Catharine E.—Kelleher
3	Olive Marie McLeod	F	Thomas R. and Nellie—Johnston
5	Mary Salvi	F	Bernadine and Ruggerie—Luci
19	Constance Mary Devine	F	Joseph A. and Constance M.—Sharpe

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23	Annie Catherine Saunders	F	Herbert E. and Catharine L.—Reordan
25	Grace Condon	F	Richard Jr. and Genevieve L.—Meaney
1	Dorothy Louise Fisher	F	Albert E. and Annie C.—Johnston
5	James Fowle Appleby	M	Ernest E. and Agnes—Fowle
12	Ruth Pauline Diauto	F	Frederick and Ruth M.—Rudderham
23	———McCarthy	M	Eugene A. and Mary Pearl—Vaughn
28	Still born		
29	Marion Hooper Scanlon	F	Maurice A. and Ellen J.—Hooper
31	Albert Lawrence Burchell	M	Elmer L. and Verna V.—Whitten
31	———Odell	M	Aloysius and Emma J.—McDonald
2	Gertrude Annie Pelissier	F	William T. and Lillie—McGregor
5	George Elmore Young	M	George A. and Annie L.—Stetson
14	Robert S. Marshall	M	Robert W. and Clara G.—Perry
17	Clinton Otis Fitts	M	Chester O. and Alice M.—Smith
26	Kenneth Oliver Linfield	M	Arthur E. and Florence G.—Glancey
1	Albert Frederick Peterson	M	Albert and Lydia K.—Obig
7	Antonio Ango	M	Dominick and Mary—Conilasti
8	Linda America Camelio	F	Erasmus and Mary—Valenti
10	Ethel Mellen	F	James and Georgiana—Hunter
13	Hardy Wilford Banks	M	John C. and Ethel—Sherron
22	Jeanette Langley	F	Herbert F. and Adeline M.—Merrill
23	———Rent	F	George S. and Helen F.—Baston

Deaths Registered in Randolph, 1912

Date	Name	Age Y. M. D.	Cause of Death	Birthplace
Jan. 9	Elmer C. Linfield	56 9 13	Intestinal obstruction	Randolph
9	Ellen M. McCue (Cunningham)	53 6 14	Meningitis	Randolph
15	Catharine Purcell	54 9 9	Carcinoma	Randolph
18	Mary E. Hayden (Reardon)	35 3 20	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Holbrook
19	Emily Kimball (Holbrook)	94 9 17	Influenza	Randolph
22	Adoniram Smith	89 6 4	Exhaustion	Randolph
Feb. 3	Elijah Harmon	76 10 12	Arterio Sclerosis	Hawley
6	James Riley	67 9 26	Mitral disease of heart	Ireland
9	Walter J. Reid	— 2 29	Meningitis	Boston
13	Johanna Deane (Beldger)	72 — —	Senile exhaustion	Ireland
17	Ella F. Wales	63 3 29	Chronic Myocarditis	North Easton
18	Margaret Forrest (Reynolds)	65 — —	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Ireland
25	John Fitzgerald	66 — —	Apoplexy	Ireland
29	Sarah J. Shedd (Chessman)	68 8 11	Pneumonia	Randolph
Mar. 3	Daniel B. White	67 9 5	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
7	John A. Seymour	84 8 15	Sarcoma	Lyme, Ohio
16	Phineas Pratt	70 — —	Bronchitis	Holbrook
20	Harriett Cottle (Belcher)	74 8 19	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
23	— Bustard	1 hour	Premature Birth	Randolph
25	Elizabeth A. Ballard (Adams)	89 10 10	Valvular disease of heart	Quincy

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25	Christian Milander	66	0	19	Mitral insufficiency	Germany
28	— Bustard			5	Premature Birth	Randolph
30	Mary McNeil				Premature Birth	Brockton
7	Mary H. Winnett	(Ken-76	8	23	Arterio Sclerosis	Randolph
	nedy					
9	Catharine O'Reilly	(Mul-66	—	—	General Paralysis	Ireland
	lin)					
10	— Cain	—	—	4	Weak heart	Randolph
11	Nathaniel Noyes	90	1	18	Arterio Sclerosis	Hanover, N. H.
12	— Daly	13	hours		Open Foremin ovale	Randolph
15	Helen M. Houghton	65	2	10	Cancer	Randolph
23	Mary Margaret Henry	—	—	7	Open Foremin ovale	Randolph
2	Clarinda Wood	62	—	—	Chronic valvular disease of heart	Quincy
21	William P. Fitzgerald	25	4	5	Pneumonia	Milford
25	Myra C. Jones (Allen)	71	5	19	Heart disease	Hanover, N. H.
					Stillborn	Randolph
31	Phillip Joseph Riley	36	1	22	Septic Pneumonia	Randolph
June 4	William H. Lyons	42	2	26	Fatty degeneration of heart	Randolph
5	Catharine Heney	(Ken-74	0	0	Endocarditis	Randolph
	nedy)					
24	Clara McIntyre	(Benton)60	7	3	Peritonitis	New York
July 1	James E. McCabe	59	0	0	Septicaemia	Hanover, Conn.
5	Catharine R. McMahon	59	8	6	Exhaustion	Randolph
9	Sarah L. Mann	(Withing-70	10	18	Strangulated Hernia	No. Stoughton
	ton)					

Aug.	14	Hannah A. French (Mann)	67	6	10	Valvular disease of heart	Randolph
	7	Margaret Behan	73	0	0	Acute Cardiac dilatation	Ireland
	9	Ellen A. Sullivan	32	0	3	Mitral disease of heart	Randolph
	11	George B. Dench	79	2	6	Valvular disease of heart	England
	17	John Sheehan	64	—	—	Apoplexy	Ireland
	10	William O'Keefe	56	11	10	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Massachusetts
Sep.	23	Jane Helen Smith (Smith)	77	4	28	Apoplexy	Waterville, Me.
	3	James Blythe	61	10	1	Paralysis	Randolph
	5	Teresa Kingsley (Doherty)	77	8	4	Gastro Enteritis	Ireland
	11	Annie M. Connor (Dona-hue)	42	—	—	Bright's Disease	Abington
	24	Herbert W. Pratt	57	3	17	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Randolph
	26	James Deane	51	—	—	Pleurisy	Randolph
	11	Gilbert T. Jones	72	—	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
Oct.	1	Jennie R. White (Lipsett)	62	1	11	Apoplexy	New Brunswick
						Stillborn	Randolph
	7	Margaret T. M. McGaugh-ey (McLaughlin)	84	4	18	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Ireland
	7	John E. Bradley	73	1	29	Acute dilatation of heart	Lee, Mass.
	7	Dorothy Dolan	—	7	1	Broncho Pneumonia	Randolph
	8	Charles H. Burnham	18	5	4	Hemorrhage of lungs	Chelsea
	15	Charles W. Lyons	65	8	1	Acute dilatation of heart	Randolph
	16	Harriett Pinkham (Allen)	41	5	1	Emephalitis	Boston
	19	William H. Alden	73	5	23	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Randolph
	27	Sister Mary Ambrose (Anna Hopkins)	32	3	23	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Brooklyn, N. Y.
	28	— McCarthy		5		Premature Birth	Randolph
	28					Stillborn	

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29 John J. Crowley	41	5	28	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
Nov. 15 Forrest Teed		3	29	Brain Embolism	Randolph
19 Robert S. Marshall			5	Premature Birth	Randolph
23 Charles A. Weeks	64	3	13	Congestion of lungs	Bridgewater
24 Martha A. Kennedy (Dyer)	69	7	27	Carcinoma of Stomach	Randolph
26 Harvey Douglass	12	8	17	Accident	Brookville, Me.
27 Mary DeCota (Walsh)	42	10	11	Chronic Enteritis	Randolph
28 Martha J. Bradley (Gould)	69	—	26	Organic disease of heart	Albany, N. Y.
Aug. 24				Stillborn	
Dec. 1 Mary A. Donovan	64	5	6	Acute cardiac dilatation	East Stoughton
2 James B. Littlefield	76	10	16	Chronic Myocarditis	Auburn, Me.
3 Mary Ann Carroll (O'Con-34	10	1		Tetanus	Ireland
nor)					
12 John Desmond	61	—	—	Carcinoma of Liver	Boston
14 Mary Taylor (Deneill)	63	9		Acute dilatation of heart	Ireland
22 Ellen Deneill	88	—	—	Acute Bronchitis	Ireland
26 Frank E. Wilder	63	1	10	Chronic Cystitis	Boston

CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES

Intestinal obstruction, meningitis, carcinoma, influenza, senile exhaustion, sarcoma, bronchitis, mitral insufficiency, weak heart, cancer, general paralysis, chronic valvular disease of heart, heart disease, septic pneumonia, fatty degeneration of heart, endocarditis, peritonitis, septicaemia, strangulated hernia, paralysis, gastro enteritis, Bright's disease, pleurisy, broncho pneumonia, hemorrhage of lungs, emphysema, brain embolism, congestion of the lungs, carcinoma of stomach, accident, chronic enteritis, organic disease of heart, tetanus, carcinoma of liver, acute bronchitis, chronic cystitis, one each	36
Exhaustion, chronic myocarditis, pneumonia, open foremen ovale, acute cardiac dilatation, two each	10
Pulmonary tuberculosis, mitral disease of heart, valvular disease of heart, acute dilatation of heart, three each	12
Stillborn, apoplexy, four each	8
Arterio sclerosis, premature birth, five each	10
Cerebral hemorrhage	6
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Interments at Randolph Of Persons Dying Elsewhere, 1912

Date of death	Name	Age.			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Jan. 8	Joseph Myatt	44	—	—	Quincy
9	Sarah H. Niles (Dyer)	77	11	—	Brockton
10	John T. Walsh	49	7	17	Boston
12	Augustus J. Reagan	—	10	—	Boston
13	Jane Tracy	82	—	—	Stoughton
15	Patrick Hayes	72	—	5	Weymouth
16	Mary Newman	62	1	5	Weymouth
18	Joseph Vinuti	—	—	14	Braintree
24	Cornelius Driscoll	35	—	—	Boston
24	Dennis O'Connell	70	—	—	Somerville
25	James Carney	52	—	—	Boston
28	Edward Meaney	74	7	4	New Bedford
28	James P. Maloney	24	2	17	Avon
31	Olinda M. Burrill	70	11	7	Boston
Feb. 1	Mary E. Quinn	63	3	3	Braintree
5	Thomas Brady	82	0	11	Weymouth
8	Geraldine M. O'Neil	19	11	22	Holbrook
25	Mortimer J. Sullivan	26	11	3	Boston
Mar. 6	Lottie O'Brien(Champion)	35	6	3	Braintree
7	Frederick H. Storme	0	3	23	Braintree
9	Helen M. Abell	1	0	20	Braintree
10	Bula Edna Perry	0	0	19	Brockton
12	Margaret Marland	28	0	0	Brockton
13	Albert J. Marland	0	0	1	Brockton
21	George P. Shea	0	0	5	Quincy
25	Mazie Hope Reynolds	0	0	20	Avon
27	Charles Albert Earle	2	0	22	Holbrook
April 3	Frederick T. Gerrior	23	1	26	Braintree
6	William Bernard Ryan	61	0	0	Boston

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Date of death	Fame	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
April 9	Louise E. Strongman	38	9	12	New Bedford
22	Helen Bittle (Stetson)	27	1	16	New York
26	Carmilla A. Larusso	1	2	15	Braintree
May 1	Cyrus F. Bullock	81	0	0	Wareham
2	Caroline Amelia Dudley	90	8	1	Roxbury
10	James F. Hamilton, Jr.	2	3	23	Quincy
11	Worth A. Green	64	11	23	Braintree
24	Julia Agnes Mahoney	27	0	0	Boston
29	Hugh McNamee	18	8	19	Quincy
29	Mary Hanifin	78	0	0	Holbrook
June 3	Generoso Georgene	35	0	0	Braintree
10	Hannah Mattimore (Cronin)	73	0	0	Holbrook
15	James F. O'Brien	80	2	0	Chicago
23	Edward Petrell	0	10	0	Braintree
24	George W. French	67	11	10	Watertown
25	Honora O'Connell (Buckley)	64	0	0	Braintree
July 12	Angus McDonald	48	0	0	Quincy
13	James Lynch	46	2	3	Quincy
28	- Drislane	0	0	3	Quincy
28	Bridget Drislane	30	0	0	Quincy
Aug. 6	Mary E. English	67	2	1	Boston
15	Bernard McArdle	0	0	6	Quincy
17	Daniel Daly	71	0	6	Holbrook
27	Mary Levangie	69	0	0	Weymouth
31	Helen Mary Charnock	0	4	10	Braintree
Sept. 4	Patrick Megley	65	0	0	Holbrook
6	Mary R. Chevigney (Beals)	55	11	4	Brockton
15	William M. Fritts	80	2	9	Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
Oct. 12	Elizabeth V. O'Neil	2	3	22	Braintree
15	Lewis T. Muse	63	0	0	New London, Conn.

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INTERMENTS AT RANDOLPH—Concluded

Date of death	Name	Age			Place of death
		Y.	M.	D.	
Oct. 17	Unice Clair Stewart	0	0	18	Quincy
19	Mary Elizabeth Ainslie	26	5	10	Avon
19	Angelo Gerreco	0	0	16	Braintree
21	Tomnenana Gerreco	24	0	0	Braintree
31	Minnie Blanchard Packard	47	2	19	Boston
Nov. 3	John Patrick Newman	69	0	0	Boston
6	James F. Hamilton	35	4	2	Quincy
11	Mary M. Daley (Donoghue)	71	3	16	Holbrook
13	Edward Kane	64	0	0	Brockton
18	Thomas A. Moran	53	2	10	Holbrook
25	Cecelia Clematine Willett	14	7	8	Braintree
28	Rose M. Meaney	34	0	0	Medford
27	Edward B. Doherty	41	2	17	Brockton
Dec. 5	Catharine Driscoll	77	0	26	Boston
28	Elizabeth Lee (Bohan)	86	0	0	Cambridge

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The Town Clerk hereby gives notice in compliance with Section 16, Chapter 29 of the Revised Laws, that he is prepared to furnish to parents, householders, physicians and midwives applying therefor, blanks for returns as required by law.

PATRICK H. McLAUGHLIN,

Town Clerk.

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